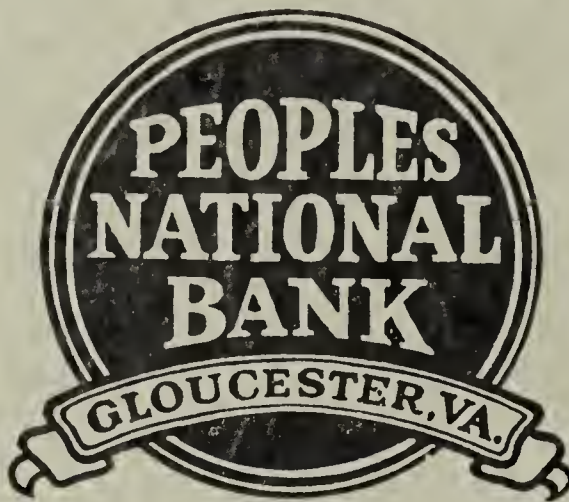


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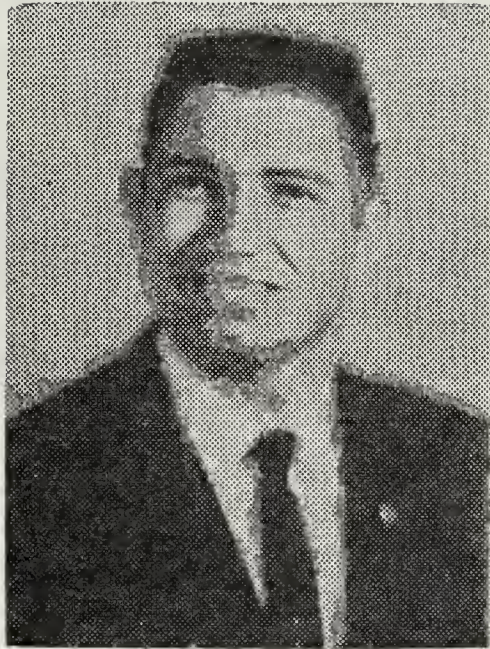
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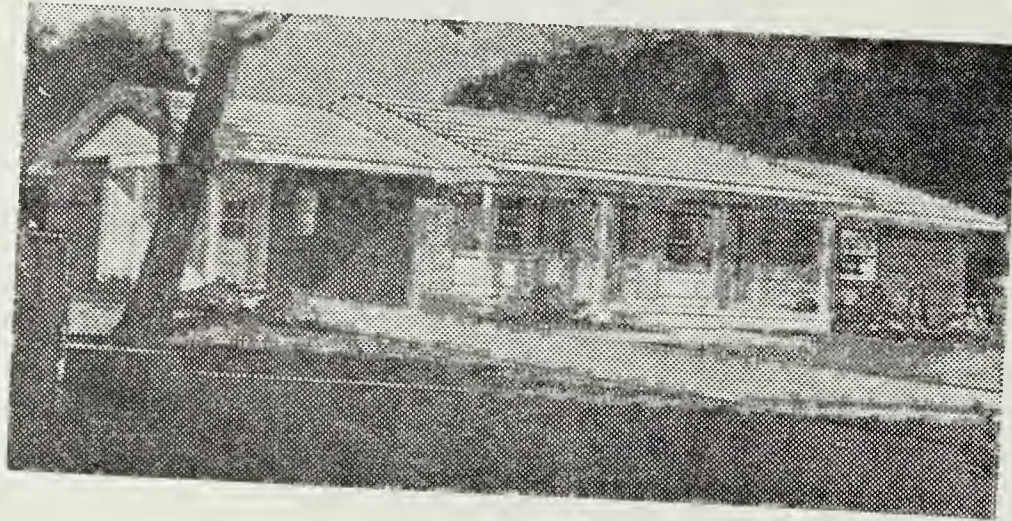
How delighted we are to welcome you, past faculty, alumni and friends of Achilles! The Homecoming Committee, PTA and our present staff have worked to make your homecoming an enjoyable and long-remembered experience.

Your homecoming will, naturally, have both happy and sad overtones. We all anxiously anticipate the erection of our new ultra-modern Achilles Elementary School. Upon the completion of the new building this old Achilles School will, of course, have to be razed.

We invite you to reminisce, to recall half-forgotten memories, and to renew old friendships formed here in those "good old days." May your visit bring time of reflection and renewed inspiration.

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SCHOOL HISTORY

by Mrs. Milton T. Harris, Sr.

18— - 1966

To record the history and achievements of Achilles School would require several volumes: the history of a school that had its beginning in a log cabin across the road from the present school site. This school is located in the south-eastern part of Gloucester County a short distance across the York River from Yorktown and Williamsburg.

We have no records or information concerning the number of years that the log cabin school was used, nor when it was changed into a two-room frame building. One of the former teachers of Achilles remembers entering the first grade in 1892 in this two-room school.

The need for more and larger classrooms is nothing new. In 1903, Achilles school was made a four-room school by raising the building to two stories. There were two rooms with a hall between, upstairs as well as downstairs. There was a porch the full length of the front of the building. These four rooms housed grades one through seven.

In 1910 the patrons of Achilles School realized the necessity of putting their school curriculum on a firmer and higher basis. In order to do this, the school building had to be enlarged and the faculty increased.

Work was begun in the summer of 1910. The porch was removed and two large rooms—one downstairs and one upstairs—were added to the front of the building, making it a T-shape building. A small porch was left on each side of the addition. This work was completed in October of the same year.

The faculty was increased from four to five and the enrollment consisted of 120 girls and boys. The curriculum was broadened to include the first year of high school subjects. Three young ladies were enrolled in the freshman class. The school was fortunate in having a principal who launched out with a strong and decided initiative, and who led the school successfully through the early stages of its high school existence.

The year 1912 saw the birth of a literary society—the Phoenix—which proved an important factor in the intellectual and social life of the students. It was gratifying to see so many prospective orators, debaters, and readers. The Eglantine Literary Society was organized on February 2, 1928. Then literary contests were held annually between Achilles and Botetourt.

Growth continued. In 1914 the first class to be graduated from Achilles High School consisted of the three young ladies who enrolled in 1910. The last class to be graduated from Achilles High School was the class of 1952 consisting of 23 members—16 girls and 7 boys. The largest class to be graduated from Achilles High School was the class of 1939 consisting of 43 members—24 girls and 19 boys.

Three factors contributed to this growth: (1) the untiring efforts and the cooperation of

the people of the community; (2) the consolidation of schools, Sadlers Neck and Severn Schools were closed and later the high school pupils from Hayes High School were transferred to Achilles High School; (3) the innovation of school buses.

During the early years of the high school, athletics—though limited—played an important part in the student body. The girls basketball team played many match games and never knew defeat. The boys had a baseball team and although their efforts were great their achievements were poor.

In 1920, the citizens of lower Gloucester awakened to the fact that the presently used building had inadequate facilities needed to offer boys and girls a well-rounded education and that a new and larger building was needed. Through the cooperation of faithful parents, teachers and friends, the project of erecting a new building across the road from the original school site was begun. The cornerstone for this building was laid in June 1920. This building housed all students from the first through the eleventh grades. The major cost of the building program was met by private subscriptions, faculty plays, entertainments and May Days.

Four years later, construction began on a separate building for the high school pupils. The cornerstone for this building was laid in 1924.

The school continued to expand until it included a furnace room, a shop and home economics building, a combination gymnasium and auditorium, and finally a cafeteria which was dedicated on May 1, 1942. The gymnasium was built with no cost to the school board; the Community League—later called the PTA—appropriated \$1500 and it was built with CWA and WPA labor. The major cost of the entire school plant—which at this time consisted of seven buildings—was raised by the Community League and/or the PTA.

The curriculum expanded to include home economics, agriculture, commercial subjects and industrial arts.

It would be impossible to separate the history of Achilles School from the history of the Achilles PTA for the school was made possible only through the efforts of the patrons and teachers who labored so hard for the school they loved. The Achilles PTA has been surpassed by none in cooperation, in willingness to make any sacrifice, undertake any job, do anything that they felt was for the betterment of the children of Lower Gloucester.

The first Summer Round-up in Gloucester was held at Achilles High School on Monday, April 13, 1936 and was held thereafter annually until county-wide pre-school clinics were established.

Long before the day of school cafeterias in Gloucester, the pupils of Achilles School had the opportunity to buy hot homemade soup and pies made and sold by one of the patrons. Later the PTA sponsored the school lunch program

until the present system became effective.

In 1941, a library was established with one of the high school teachers serving as part-time librarian.

Extra-curricular activities played an important part in the life of the students. In 1941 a gold basketball was given to each member of the girls champion basketball team. The boys took part in the usual sports — football, basketball and baseball — and several silver cups were won by their champion teams. Boys and girls excelled in many literary contests and other Forensic events.

May Day — an Achilles tradition — is still an outstanding event each year. Before the high school students were transferred to Gloucester High School, May Day was an all-day event drawing large crowds. In the morning, there were intra-mural track and field events consisting of 50 yard dash, shot put, discus throwing, broad jump, high jump, chinning pole, pole vaulting and baseball throwing.

Following lunch — sold by the PTA — came the crowning of the May Queen who, with her court, was entertained by members of the elementary grades who presented the May Pole Dance and other dances and drills. This was followed by softball games for the girls and a baseball game for the boys — usually with Botetourt. After supper, served by the PTA, a

program would be presented in the auditorium.

In 1952, due to consolidation, the high school department of Achilles was transferred to Gloucester High School and Achilles became again an elementary school of seven grades.

“By your fruits are ye known.” Among the religious, educational and civic leaders of today, we find many who received their elementary or high school training or both at Achilles School. We find her famous sons and daughters in most every walk of life — doctors, dentists, ministers, deaconesses, nurses, teachers, realtors, military officers, beauticians, firemen, lawyers, county supervisors, members of school boards, merchants, bankers, typists, secretaries, school superintendents and supervisors and many others.

And now in 1966 — outmoded and outgrown — the present school plant is to be replaced with a modern up to date plant. Achilles School will live long in the hearts and minds of those who were fortunate enough to be associated with this school, its pupils, teachers and patrons. The new Achilles Elementary School will continue to serve the needs of this community to the very best of its ability.

It is with pride and joy that we read in the pages of history — made day by day — of the success and the service to mankind of those who were students of Achilles School.

Principals of Achilles High School

Co-Chairmen: Mrs. C. W. Moore & Mrs. Maryus Rowe, Jr.

1911—S. B. Kirk, deceased.

1912—M. Manaway, deceased.

1913—J. C. King, deceased.

1914—Charles Henry Smith, deceased.

1915-1921—J. Walter Kenney, Gloucester Point.

1916—C. Weldon Hudson, deceased.

1917-1918—F. M. Bristow, deceased.

1922-1923—M. A. Waldrop, Naxera. Postmaster and merchant. Visited Honolulu and Hawaii in 1943—“Oh Boy.”

1923-1924—Charles A. Duff.

1924—W. D. Bremner, deceased.

1925-1926—Jessie Smith, Bath, Maine. Retired, but does substitute teaching.

1927-1931—M. F. Starnes, deceased.

1932-1935—Dr. Fred Helsabeck, married to the former Emily Ailsworth. President of Culver-Stockton College, Missouri. Has four children, three grandchildren. At one time was Dean of Lynchburg College. He has the following degrees: MA, Doctor of Philosophy, Doctor of Divinity, and he is very active in Disciples of Christ Church.

1936—W. D. Barr, deceased.

1937-1942—Maynard W. Berryman, Metairie, Louisiana. Married and has three children, one grandson. Taught schools and coached in Virginia schools 1933-1942 including positions as high school principal and teaching chemistry, biology, history, English and U. S. Government. Coached all sports programs. Now a retired captain in the U. S. Naval Reserve.

1943—Edwin S. Lowe, Superintendent of Accomac County schools. Holds a Master of Education degree. He is married and has two children and one grandchild.

1944—Harold A. Newland, Santurce, Puerto Rico. Married and has two children and grandchildren. Principal at Achilles and Mathews from 1944-1946, Puerto Rico Dept. of Public Works 1946-1958, private professional office, 1958-1966. Honors: Governor's Service Awards 1954 and 1957.

1945—Raymond M. Sauder.

1946-1947—George C. Chenault.

1948-1951—F. N. Postlethwait.

Teachers of Achilles High School

The following are teachers that replied to their questionnaires:

Daisy Davis, Bena. Single. After teaching she was supervisor of WPA projects for Gloucester 1935-1939. From 1949 to present time she has been employed by the Daily Press as a distributor of the morning newspaper.

Elise Bristow (Mrs. J. Walter Kenney), Gloucester Point. Holds a BA degree from Longwood College and teaches at Abingdon Elementary School.

Mrs. Harvey Bunting, widow; lives at Bena and teaches at Achilles Elementary School. She has one daughter.

Nan Riley (Mrs. Joseph Pointer), Rt. 1, Gloucester. She has two sons, Glenn and Owen and is teaching at Gloucester High School.

Mrs. Porter Heywood (Virginia Abernathy), Bena. She is a widow and will always remember teaching the fifth grade in the Mason's Hall and leading the children across the road eight times a day and she also remembers how Tom Hogge always kept a smiling face as he kept the coal stove going. She has a PTA Life Membership.

Marie Bristow (Mrs. James Ash), Perrin. Widow with three children and ten grandchildren. Has traveled in most of U. S., including Hawaii; also Europe and Canada.

Hattie E. Ash, Perrin, deceased. Single and retired from Naval Supply Center with more than 19 years of Government service. Taught school for 11 years; traveled in 46 states and in Mexico and Canada; died May 26, 1966 from injuries suffered May 7 in an automobile accident.

Amelia L. Huffman has three children. Does volunteer work in church, hospitals and clubs. European trip in the summer of 1965.

Betty Hannah (Mrs. Ellis Hall), BS from Madison College; has three sons. Has traveled extensively with her husband to Rome, Venice, Spain, London.

Margherita D. Harris (Mrs. M. T. Harris, Sr.), Tidemill. She has two children and eight grandchildren, three great-grandchildren. She was librarian at Gloucester High School; now retired. She has 23 piano students, coaches math. Has PTA Life Membership and is a GEA past-president. (Is she retired? We don't think so and we're happy she's still helping to educate us.)

Anne G. Hall, widow and lives at Gloucester. She has one daughter, two grandchildren. She is now teaching at Achilles.

Lesbia Rowe, single. Achilles. Taught for 42 years in the public schools.

Linda Rowe (Mrs. W. H. Ellis), Louisiana. Has two children and five grandchildren.

Mrs. Cecil W. Page, Gloucester. Has two children and five grandchildren.

Ruth Corr (Mrs. David Anderton), Williamsburg. Has two children and is teaching at Jamestown Academy. Her most remembered moment is "the burial of two goldfish" while teaching the first grade in 1951.

Mrs. H. C. Shackelford, Gloucester Point. She has two children and is now teaching at Abingdon Elementary School. She has a BA degree from William and Mary.

Hawsie M. Rowe, single. She has been teaching 31 years and is now at Hampton High School. She has a BA and Masters in Education.

Mrs. Hayes Hogge, Ordinary. She holds an AB degree and was the first of three elementary supervisors visiting in that capacity. She taught 37 years and is now retired.

Mrs. Norman J. Hogge, Hayes. Has three daughters, four grandchildren. Taught 25 years regularly and 14 years part-time and substituting. Now retired.

Mrs. Mae Williams, widow and living at Hayes. She has three children, eight grandchildren. She has been manager of the cafeteria at Hayes and now manager of the Abingdon Elementary cafeteria. She taught school also.

Sam Janney, single and living in Gloucester. Farming and insurance are keeping his busy. He has a BS degree from MIT.

Mrs. Olan Nuttall (Josephine), Wicomico. Twenty-five years teaching. Now teaching first grade at Achilles. She has three children and three grandchildren.

Miss Betty Thomas, Severn. She has been teaching 43 years without missing a year. She is now teaching third grade at Achilles School.

Mrs. Thelma Rowe (Mrs. Brandol), Gloucester. Taught seven years. Now does substitute teaching. She has one son and is active in church work at Union Baptist.

Miss Betty Sims (Mrs. George Hayes). Met her husband while teaching at Achilles. She has three children and lives in Hampton.

Peggy Smith (Mrs. W. W. Crittenden), Gloucester. Married to a local dentist, has three children. She taught three years at Tuckahoe Elementary School (7th grade) Richmond, and taught two years Douglas Freeman High School, Richmond. She has a BS degree.

Mrs. Hannibal Shackelford (Christine Heywood). Taught 11 years at Achilles. Substituted for 11 years. Teaches 15-year-old girls at Union Baptist and has traveled in the United States.

MEMORIES from Mrs. Margaret Bunting Hogge:

"Since so much of my life was spent at Achilles I have many outstanding memories. However, among the most pleasant ones are those associations I had with fellow teachers, principals and superintendents while teaching there. Many of them have been life-time friends. Also indelible in my mind are the rewarding pleasures that have come through the years from teaching the best boys and girls in the world—Achilles boys and girls!

"Yes, I enjoyed working with the boys and girls of Achilles (some even to the third generation) helping them to grow up, watching them turn into worthwhile mature human beings and **sincerely loving them all the time**. I have been blessed in many ways but in none more than the joy I got in sharing the growing up of boys and girls in my native Gloucester County and especially in my 'own' school. Through the years I have watched with pride as they have taken their places in society, some to become outstanding in their chosen fields of education or in the business world. I like to feel that I had a small part in helping them to achieve great things. Through the guidance of the Master teacher Himself, I tried to equip my students with compassion and tolerance toward all people, an appreciation of and love for knowledge, and a respect for learning. I tried to give them the priceless gift of joy and laughter, and to have made them strong enough to outlaw fear. I trust that whatever example I have provided has developed the spiritual and moral values they have built their lives upon. They won't all be wise or right or practical but my faith in the essential right heartedness of youth makes me believe that their batting average will be high.

"I must mention a happy surprise in my life—one evening in the spring of 1960 when in humble gratitude, I heard a former pupil of mine (Elizabeth King), whose children I also had the pleasure of teaching, present a program entitled 'Mrs. Hogge: This Is Your Life,' and then present me with a corsage and a lifetime membership to the National Congress of Parents and Teachers from the Achilles PTA. At times like these my joy knew no bounds!"

ACHILLES PTA HISTORY

VIRGINIA A. HEYWOOD, Historian

In 1920 the Achilles Community League was organized with Mrs. J. W. Rowe as president. The Community League became the Achilles PTA in 1936. From its beginning to the present time, the PTA has been a most helpful organization, working constantly to better the school plant and provide extra facilities for the education of the children enrolled.

After the Community League realized that there were no adequate facilities for educating the youth, they set to work to obtain the necessary buildings, better sanitary conditions, a heating plant and more athletic grounds. With \$150 on hand and the cooperation of parents, teachers and friends, the project of building a new high school began. The land was bought by the school board and \$500 was given by the board. The remainder of the money came from private subscriptions, plays, entertainments and May Days. A second building was built to house the agriculture and home economics departments. Five thousand dollars was furnished by the school board and the remainder was gotten by the Community League. The third building, which is now a furnace building, was largely built by the league. When the need for a gymnasium was evident, the league assumed responsibility for the work. A small part of the work was done by CWA and PWA. A heating system was installed later by the league at the cost of \$876.00.

The first cafeteria was under the direction of the PTA. Mrs. Rodney Hayes began by preparing the food at her home and bringing it to school at lunch time.

The league paid the entire cost of the first school light plant; paid \$250 to have the athletic field put in shape for games; paid for many other necessary articles to make school more enjoyable for the children.

Along with financial aid, the league sponsored health programs, pre-school clinics and generally aided the school program in every way it could when a need arose. The PTA in World War II backed the war fund drives and purchased a \$500 war bond. Musical programs have been helped by PTA funds in purchasing pianos, instruments, records and record players. The PTA has also helped with putting on music festivals and contests.

A new cafeteria building, costing \$4,000 was begun in the fall of 1941 and was ready to use in the spring of 1942. The total cost was \$4,826.51, and the larger portion of the money came from the PTA. Until 1947 the PTA sponsored the cafeteria program and used the profits for school furnishings such as blinds, tables, chairs, etc.

After attaining adequate buildings, the PTA turned its attention to enrichment of the total school program. Believing that buildings are not the only necessary thing involved in education, the group sponsored recreational programs; cooperated in sight-saving clinics; sponsored May Day and Harvest programs; gave to Cancer Fund, dental clinic, guidance clinic, scholarship fund; and many other causes for the betterment of the educational program.

To further the education of the parents and to bind teachers and parents into a closer relationship, the PTA has held regular programs on topics of interest at each of its meetings. Such subjects as health, guidance, Scout work, recreation, safety and others have been discussed—often with explanatory films. Publicity concerning the school work has been a part of its program. "The Virginia Bulletin" and a PTA manual have been given to officers; copies of the PTA history have been distributed; study classes held; art shows and displays of children's work, along with room visitation, have kept patrons up to date. Besides educational and publicity efforts, the PTA has had a social hour at the close of its meetings when an informal time to talk with parents was provided.

About a decade ago, the organization began to realize that the Achilles school plant that once served so well the purpose for which it was built was not up-to-date, and that the group would find it necessary to take steps to replace the old buildings with more modern ones. In 1951 the PTA sent out publications to all voters asking them to support a new central high school for the county. In 1962 the theme for the Achilles PTA was "Cooperation and a New School" and to this end a panel discussion on school problems was held at the October meeting. In March, Mr. Forrest spoke on "Finances And Education." In this same year the PTA supported an automobile tax for educational purposes.

The theme for the 1963-64 session was "A New School for Achilles." Close contact between the school board and the PTA was kept by sending representatives to each school board meeting. At the joint Founders' Day program in February of 1964, the history of the PTA was presented in pantomime by couples representing ten-year periods of growth from infancy to its hopes for the future — a new school. A musical background of events popular in each period of time was used with the comical presentation.

In 1964 there was a meeting given to informing the public of a proposed plan to spend \$1,300,000 to meet the needs of the school system. Included in this plan was a new school for Achilles. The school board, board of supervisors, Mr. Forrest and other county officers were present to answer questions concerning this program.

Now that Achilles has been promised a new school in the very near future, other matters are taking the place of the school building issue. Much discussion has taken place concerning the saving of the gymnasium by moving it to another part of the campus. It is the opinion of the people that the building will serve a useful purpose for activities on bad days as well as a place to practice for extra events, and to have little parties when weather is not suitable for outdoor play. The PTA hopes to find a way to work with the school board in saving this building.

The association is planning a homecoming day in June which will give old students at Achilles a chance to get together before it becomes just a memory.

Along with its efforts to get a new school, the PTA has not neglected any of the usual things that have been a part of its work for all the years. It is still furnishing teaching materials in science, TV, remedial reading and visual aids. It still promotes all facets of the school program as far as it is able.

It is impossible to give credit to all individuals who have worked to make Achilles PTA the success that it has been, but the community appreciates the efforts, big or little, of each contributing member. The society has had 21 presidents, 17 secretaries and six treasurers to date. It has presented seven life memberships and pins to past presidents. The presidents have been: Mrs. J. W. Rowe, Jesse Smith, R. F. Heywood, W. C. Brown, W. C. Thomas, Mrs. Hannibal Rowe, Mrs. M. T. Harris, Paul Hicks, W. A. Conner, Mrs. Astor Clay, Mrs. Faber Mershon, Mrs. Nathan Levin, Mrs. Garland Shackelford, Mrs. William King, Mrs. Charlotte Weaver, Mrs. Noah Thomas, Mrs. Harry Midgette, Lloyd Williams, Mrs. Charles Moore, Mrs. J. L. Oliver and Lloyd Bedsole.

Life memberships have been awarded to: Mrs. M. T. Harris, Mrs. Robert Weaver, Mrs. Garland Shackelford, Mrs. Norman Hogge, T. M. Emory, Norman Hogge and Mrs. Porter Heywood.

In presenting these highlights of the Achilles PTA history, we pay tribute to the founders of the first PTA and to the founders of our own association. May the accomplishments of the future be even greater than those of the past!



"REPLENISHING THE SUPPLY"

Dennis D. Forrest

A feeling of nostalgia and a little regret will no doubt be felt by many of us at seeing an old landmark like Achilles School being replaced by a new and modern building. We must remember that change is the keynote of the times and no segment of society is immune to its effect. These changes are occurring at such a rapid rate that it is sometimes hard for us to adapt with ease from the old to the new. Our forefathers built their schools and churches generations ago and stretched their hands into the future that they might bridge the past to the future. The churches were built so that the future generations might worship God according to the dictates of their own conscience and the schools were built because they had faith that education was a necessary ingredient in a democratic society. Both institutions are weapons of Freedom's Way of Life.

Our forebears had faith in future generations and their efforts were invested in the future. We too have faith in the future generations and our efforts are invested in the future. We realize that you cannot continue to take from a store of anything (unless total exhaustion is the goal) if you are not willing to replenish the supply.

Much has been taken from the "store" at Achilles. We are not tearing Achilles down, we are "replenishing her supply."

Greetings!

Cordial greetings and fond memories to those of you who have always been my friends and helpmates in years gone by. You good people of Achilles have performed a memorable service for your community. May health, happiness and all good wishes attend you.

Sincerely yours,

J. WALTER KENNEY



J. W. KENNEY
Former Superintendent

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An Explanation!

A word of explanation about the class histories:

Letters were sent to each of the graduates for whom addresses could be found. They were asked their family status; number of children and grandchildren; their jobs; honors; degrees; travels; and their outstanding memory while at Achilles. From the answers to these questions these comments have been compiled. In some instances the chairman whose name is shown under a certain year also tried to obtain information for the classes listed until the next chairman's name appears.

The committee regrets that some did not return their questionnaires so we could have a more complete write-up about each graduate.

If any names were left out, or there are any errors in the write-ups, we hope that they will be understood and everyone will know that we did our best!

THE COMMITTEE

Class of 1914

Chairman: Ada Riley Oliver

Josephine Thornton, unmarried; living at Achilles with sisters and brothers.

Elizabeth Rowe Caro, deceased.

Cornelia Thornton, deceased.

Class of 1915

Essie Smith Felton, Portsmouth.

Aileen Hayes Smith, attended Longwood College. Widow since 1942 and has two children, seven grandchildren. Taught school before marriage and is now retired from government as statistical clerk. Living in Alexandria.

Class of 1916

Ada Riley (Jones L.) Oliver, married and living at Gloucester Point. Has one daughter and one granddaughter. Attended Longwood College and taught school two years before her marriage. Active in Church work and woman's club and civic affairs.

Samuel Jenkins, deceased.

Class of 1917

Evelyn Pointer Barnes, married and living at Virginia Beach. Has one son and two daughters.

Andrew Shackelford, married and living in Birmingham, Ala. Has one son and three grandchildren. Retired after 41 years with Sealtest Foods.

Buchanan Thornton, unmarried and living at Achilles with sisters and brother.

Willie Hall is retired from Humble Oil & Refining Co. after 42 years of service. Attended Davis Wagner Business College, Randolph-Macon College, and University of Pa. Following retirement came with his wife to Gloucester Point to live. She is now deceased, leaving two daughters and eight grandchildren. Willie remarried a Gloucester girl, Mrs. Robbie Tillage Cooke, who is also a graduate of Achilles.

Class of 1918

Mae Thornton (P. Cabot) Williams, widow, living at Hayes. She has three children and seven grandchildren. She has taught school, managed the Hayes cafeteria and is now managing the Abingdon School cafeteria.

Clara Thornton, unmarried and living at Achilles with sisters and brothers.

Jennie Shackelford (J. E.) Moore, widow and living in Newport News.

Opie Thomas (Stanley) Wallace, widow and living at Gloucester Point.

Ivy Redd Turnball is married and living in Portsmouth.

Kathryn Rowe has taught school since completing her college education. She is now teaching in Newport News. She and her sister own a home at Gloucester Point.

Class of 1919

Jeannie Rowe Foxwell, married and living in Richmond. She has six children and eight children.

MEMORIES — Most pleasant memories of this 1914-1919 era would be the accomplishment of four years of Latin; the warm friendship of the entire student body and the everyday practice and occasional match game of basketball with never a defeat.

Class of 1920

Chairman: Miss Hawsie Rowe

William H. Rowe, farms at Gloucester Point; has two daughters and one grandson.

Class of 1921

Hawsie M. Rowe, holds BA and ME degrees from the College of William and Mary and was chairman of the English Department at Hampton High before becoming full-time counselor.

Mary Rowe Bonnewell is a widow with three children and five grandchildren. She is now a seamstress in a Norfolk department store.

Betty Sterling Sheppard has one son, two grandchildren; attended William and Mary and Longwood, and has been first grade teacher in Goochland for 20 years.

Nettie Heywood (James) Rowe is a widow living at Severn; attended William and Mary and now teaches English at Gloucester High School.

Class of 1922

Lesbia Brown holds a BA from William and Mary; taught in Gloucester, and is now teaching in Chesterfield.

Ruth Carmine (William) Streagle has one son and has been teaching 39 years in Gloucester.

Sears Driscoll has four children and is now superintendent of schools in Buckingham County.

Ruby Heywood Greggs has three children and four grandchildren; lives in Norfolk where she is a lunch room manager.

Bertha Lewis Hogge, a homemaker; lives in Newport News and has given much outstanding service in many civic organizations.

Bernice Rowe (C. Aubrey) White, a teacher, lives in Matthews and has one son and two grandchildren. She attended William and Mary and Madison, holds a BS degree, Kappa Delta Pi.

Mamie Rowe (Lewis) Hogge has taught school and is now a homemaker. She has one daughter and one grandson.

MEMORIES: The outstanding memories were the excitement of entering the new building; riding to school in a pony cart and firing the furnace.

Class of 1923

Chairman: Thelma Thomas Rowe

Kathleen Templeman, Mrs. John Long, has been a teacher in Gloucester for 22 years.

Bettie B. Thomas, single. She has taught in Gloucester for 43 years.

Louise Lillaston, Mrs. Walter Brown taught school 6 years. She has a son, Chester, who is pastor of Hampton Baptist Church.

Thelma Thomas, Mrs. Brandol Rowe taught school in Gloucester seven years.

Featrice Rowe, Mrs. Russel Briggs lives in Richmond.

Bolton M. Bunting is in the seafood business in Gloucester; has a daughter and a son.

Eugenia Sterling, Mrs. T. D. Lewis lives in Hyattsville, Md.

Hilda Sterling, Mrs. N. J. Nolan lives in New Canton, Va.

Eva Long, Mrs. W. L. Hudgins taught school in Gloucester and now works in the post office at Yorktown.

Raymond Owens, taught school in Gloucester and is now supervisor with the Newport News Shipbuilding and Dry Dock Company.

Elmer Smith, deceased.

MEMORIES: That the first winner from Achilles and the county to represent Gloucester as a reader on the first forensic team to go to Charlottesville was a member of this class.

(NO RECORD TURNED IN FOR 1924)

Class of 1925

Chairman: Margaret Bunting Hogge

Margaret Bunting, (Mrs. Norman J. Hogge), Hayes; has three daughters, four grandchildren; taught 39 years in Gloucester schools (Hayes and Achilles); now retired.

Lorraine Carmine (Mrs. Cecil Haynes), Wicomico; has one son; teaches at Abingdon School.

Lois Hogge (Mrs. Gene Sullivan), Sandston; has one daughter, three grandchildren; taught in Gloucester for a few years before going to Richmond where she now works as bookkeeper in a bank.

Gladys Harris (Mrs. W. C. Waddell, Jr.), Tidemill; has two children, one granddaughter, serves as postmistress at Tidemill.

Evelyn Jenkins (Mrs. Irvin Lewis), Gloucester Point, has one daughter, one grandchild, is a housewife.

Marie Lillaston (Mrs. Carr), Hampton; teaches at Phoebus Elementary School.

Regina Rowe (Mrs. S. H. Pierce), Norfolk; has three children, seven grandchildren, has been active in church

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Evelyn Shackelford (Mrs. Reuben Lindsay), Williamsburg; has one daughter, one son, four grandchildren.
Virginia Thornton (Mrs. Swindell), Bena, has one daughter and has worked as bookkeeper, beautician and technician.

Deceased: Elizabeth Brown and Hazel Shackelford.

MEMORIES: From Margaret Bunting Hogge: "My entire life has been linked in so many ways with Achilles School as student, teacher and parent but outstanding in my senior year memories was the friendly, family-like atmosphere that prevailed at our school. The Bremners: father (principal), mother (teacher) and children (students), all became a vital part of our school. The old Dodge touring car with top laid back was a familiar sight each morning as it chugged onto the school ground crowded with the entire family, the pet dog, and any others who needed a ride to school. Mr. Bremner was very fond of the fresh fish that were available in season, in the community. Very often he would appear in the doorway of our Senior English room interrupting "Mama" to ask her if she would like some nice fresh fish for supper. Brown's fish wagon would be waiting at the end of the front walk for the family decision. We are indebted to the Bremners for many things among them the school song "At Achilles" which we all learned to sing with pride and joy."

From Regina Rowe Pierce: "My outstanding memory while at Achilles was when our class presented the Senior play. Due to the fact that we were so unfortunate as not to have any boys in our class, I had to play the part of the 'handsome dashing hero' in the story. Many and hilarious were the experiences connected with playing this role at the various schools in Gloucester, Matthews and Middlesex, as we tried successfully to raise the necessary funds we needed to meet our class expenses."

From Gladys Harris Waddell: "My outstanding memory of Achilles was the devotion to the school of our beloved janitor, Mr. Tom Hogge."

Class of 1926

Chairman: Harry Thornton

Our class of 1926 had 14 graduates.

Louise Ambrose decided to be her own boss. She lives at Wicomico and is employed at the Coast Guard Reserve Training Center, Yorktown. Her hobby is caring for the aged and sick in her family.

Alice Rowe (Mrs. Claude Brown), Ware Neck. Has one daughter and one son.

Margaret Shackelford (Mrs. Robert Sterling), married 37 years; has four children and one grandchild.

Margaret Corbell (Mrs. Edmond Bogg), graduate nurse from Grace Hospital, Richmond, and lives in Richmond.

Mary Hogge (Mrs. Howard Mason), widow and mother, she is postmistress at Cash P. O.

Sallie Smith (Mrs. Walter West), Perrin. Mother of two sons and is employed as civil service employee at Fort Eustis.

Josephine Thomas (Mrs. Olan Nuttall), Wicomico. Has two daughters and one son. She teaches at Achilles Elementary School.

Ruth Rowe (Mrs. Howell Smith), Bena. Widow and mother of twin boys.

Olis Williams (Mrs. Herbert Halladay), Gloucester. She is assistant cashier at Bank of Gloucester.

Elizabeth Ward (Mrs. Harold Brooke), Richmond. Teaches school and mother of two children.

Wilbur Wilburn, has two children and works in MEF at Naval Weapons Station, Yorktown. Lives with his family at Achilles.

Lysander Thornton, lives at Bena and is employed in Williamsburg.

Harry Thornton, married and has one daughter. He is employed as Civil Service worker for Navy and lives with his family at Bena.

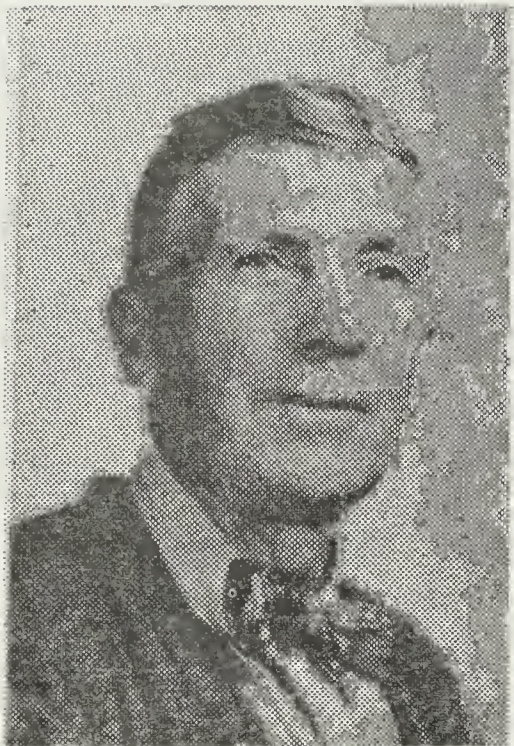
Deceased: Francis Hogg

MEMORIES: Playing competition basketball, traveling in the faculty drama group to play the piano, the time the school bus overturned, and receiving five demerits for throwing a love note across the aisle.



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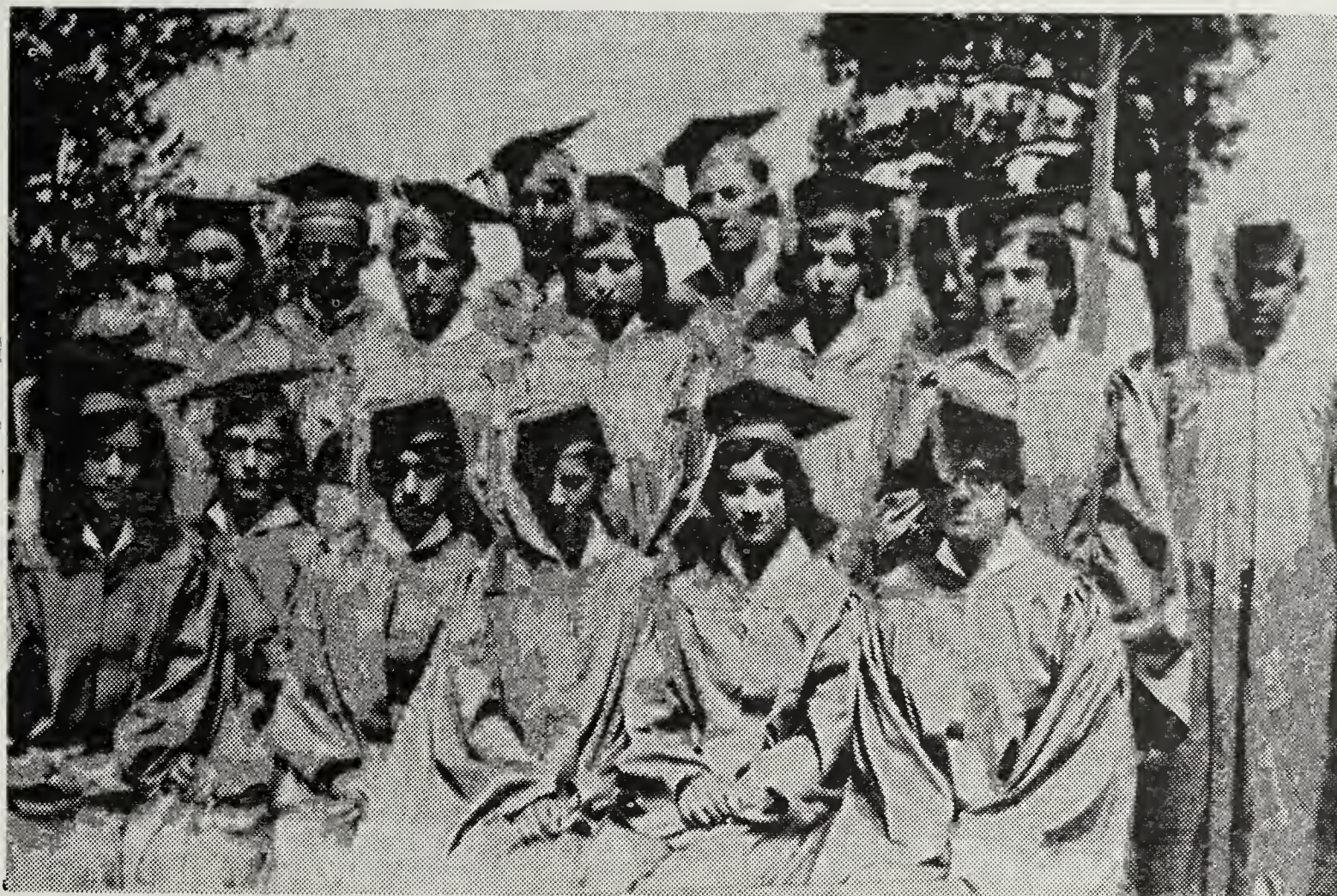
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Class of 1927

Chairman: Stella Rowe Hogg

- Nathan Belvin**, married and has one child. Retired and lives at Severn.
- Isabelle Bonnaville** (Mrs. John King), Perrin. Has two sons and is a housewife.
- Bertha Brown** (Mrs. Thomas Robbins), Ware Neck.
- Robert Fary**, married and living in Richmond.
- Laura Fones** (Mrs. Lennie Williams), Route 3, Gloucester.
- Katie Hogge** (Mrs. Odell Blake), Bena. Has one son and one granddaughter.
- Paul Hogge**, Newport News. Married, has three children, one grandchild. Physician and pediatrician. Honors and degrees: Licentiate American Board of Pediatrics, Past Chief of Staff, Mary Immaculate Hospital, Member Board of Trustees, MCV Alumni Association, Contributor of Pediatric Literature to Virginia Medical Monthly, The Journal of Pediatrics and the American Journal of Diseases of Children, Steward, Trinity Methodist Church, Newport News.
- Aubrey Lillaston**, married and lives in Newport News.
- Sadie Rowe**, single and lives in Norfolk.
- Lucille Sutton**, married.
- Lady Thornton**, unmarried and lives at Bena.
- Robbie Tillage** (Mrs. Willie Hall), Gloucester Point. Teaches at Abingdon Elementary School.
- Stella Howe** (Mrs. Roland Hogg), Wicomico. Widow and mother of one daughter; she has two grandchildren. She is owner of Hogg Funeral Home.
- Tom Harris**, married and living at Wicomico.

Class of 1928

Chairman: Mrs. Tyler Hogge Harris

- Marie Dunston** (Mrs. Luther Hunley), Portsmouth. Has two children.
- Mamie Dunston** (Mrs. Aubrey Ramsey), Dutton. Is a registered nurse.
- Claude Carmine**, Newport News.
- Spencer Clopton**, Gloucester Point. Has two children.
- Floyd Gibbs**, Alexandria. Has one child.
- Bernard Ambrose**, Gloucester. Has three children and four grandchildren.
- Josephine Newbill** (Mrs. Mac Ewell), Richmond.
- Ruth Rilee** (Mrs. Edward Blake), Bena. Has two children.

Minnie Hogge (Mrs. Hershel Shackelford), Gloucester Point. Has AB degree from the College of William and Mary; teaches first grade at Abingdon School. She has two children.

Lucille Dudley (Mrs. William Nizer), Baltimore. She has two children.

Annie Roberts (Mrs. Milton Lipes), Lakewood, Ohio.

Sarah Rowe (Mrs. R. M. Jones), Hampton. Registered nurse.

Audrey Hall (Mrs. Folkes Robins), Achilles, has one son and a granddaughter.

Ethel Williams (Mrs. Edward Sterling), Rt. 3, Gloucester. She has six children.

Tyler Hogg (Mrs. Tom Harris), Wicomico.

Jessie Carr (John) Robbins, postmaster at Ordinary; has one daughter and two sons.

Class of 1929

Chairman: Dora Webb Rowe

- Gladys Shackelford** (Mrs. Robert Brown), Wicomico. Active in church work and civic affairs. Member of Mildred Warner Chapter 129, OES.
- Lucena Berry** (Mrs. M. A. Woolson), Connecticut. Has one child and one grandchild. Has worked as secretary and office worker.
- Maywood Lewis** (Mrs. Irving Jenkins), Tidemill. Has one son and one granddaughter. She has been a teacher and is at present a bookkeeper.
- Elizabeth Hogge** (Mrs. Elphus Hogge), Rt. 2, Hayes. Has one daughter, a student at Campbell College, N. C. Employed by Miller and Rhoads in Newport News.
- Dora Webb** (Mrs. Linwood Rowe), White Marsh. Member of Mildred Warner Chapter 129, OES.
- Wyndham Clopton**, lives in Richmond, has two daughters, one grandson. Licensed pilot by the Federal Aviation Agency with land and seaplane ratings.
- Arthur H. Hogge**, lives at Ordinary. Employed as salesman. Member of Achilles Lodge, 281, AF & AM and Sioux Tribe No. 9, IORM.
- Jessie Rowe** (Mrs. Kelly Denby), Hayes. Has one daughter. Employed as a teacher and bookkeeper.
- Lillian Carmine** (Mrs. Lester Sterling), Naxera. Has four children and two grandchildren. Member of the faculty of Abingdon Elementary School. Has BA degree and working on MA.
- Louise Owens** (Mrs. Rudolph Shackelford), Severn. Has one son who is a talented musician.

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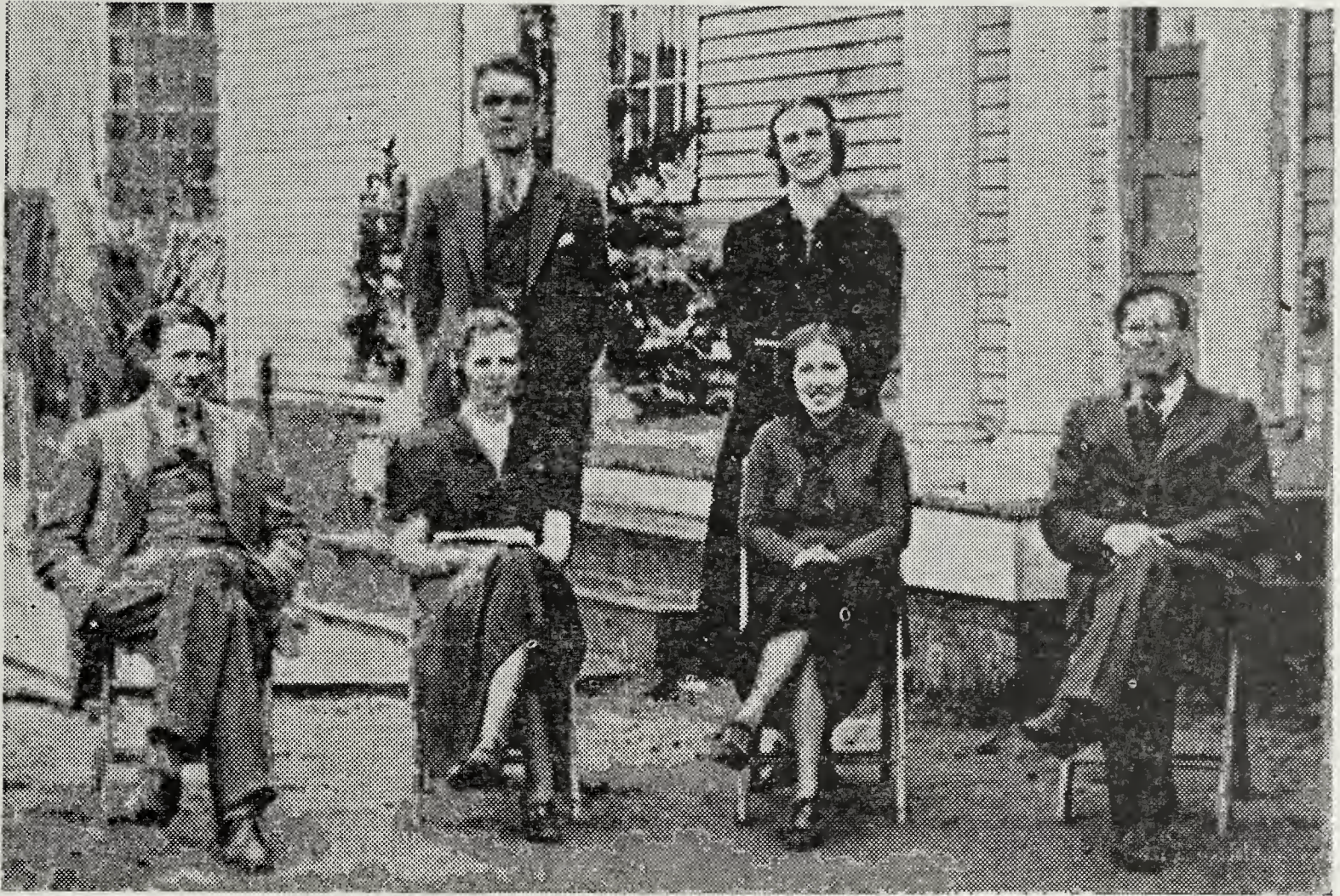
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Miss Evelyn Bonneville, resides and works in Williamsburg.
Nettie Hall (Mrs. James Ashe), resides and works in Newport News. Has one son, serving internship as doctor.
Samuel Williams, resides and works in Baltimore, Md.
Hershel Shackelford, Gloucester Point. Has one son and one daughter and is the distributor for Atlantic Petrol-

eum Products in this area.
Deceased: Mrs. Tris Towle (Lola Wilburn), Everett Edwards and James Ashe.
MEMORIES: Memories of our fellow students and teachers and sports, especially when Achilles won.

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Class of 1930

Chairman: Melvin Hogge

Marcella Rowe (Mrs. Jenkins), widow, three children and three grandchildren. Registered nurse.

Eldora Carmine (Mrs. Stringfield), Newport News. She has one child.

Estelle Fary (Mrs. Dobson). She is teaching in Annapolis, Md.

Mary Smith (Mrs. Ewing), Newport News.

Elva Belvin (Mrs. Robins). Has three children; owner and operator of general merchandise store.

Lela Belvin

Carlyle Brown, married and lives at Bena. Transportation and maintenance supervisor for Gloucester County public schools.

Naomi Dudley (Mrs. Herbert Brown), Schley. Has two children and works at York Wholesale in West Point.

Mildred Hogge, single. Works and lives in Newport News.

Melvin Hogge, married and has three children, four grandchildren; he is a salesman for York Wholesale, West Point and is supervisor for Ware District.

Helen Jenkins (Mrs. Noah Thomas), Gloucester Point. Has two children.

Roy King, married and has two boys. He works as waterman and lives at Severn.

Edward Jenkins, single and is a waterman.

George Newbill, married and has five children. He works on the George P. Coleman Bridge and has traveled in Scotland, England, France, Germany, Austria, and Canada. Served in the U. S. Army and worked with the Gloucester-Yorktown Ferry Corp.

Geneva Rowe (Mrs. Broadus Crewe), Rt. 1, Hayes. She is a homemaker with two children and three grandchildren.

Gladys Rowe (Mrs. Falcone). Has one child and lives in Chesapeake.

Ruby Rowe, single and teaches fourth grade at Achilles Elementary School.

Miriam Thornton (Mrs. Wilburn), Achilles. She has two children.

Alice Williams (Mrs. James Harris), widow; Director of Nursing, Westbrook Psychiatric Hospital, Richmond. (BS and MS). Has traveled all of United States, Philippine Islands, Hawaii, Guam, Mexico and Nova Scotia.

Woodrow E. Hall, Hinsdale, Ill. Married and has two children, Jeffrey and Debbie. Served in U. S. Navy during World War II in the Pacific. He is now sales manager for Power Transmission Equipment, Chicago, Ill.

Lucy Ann Tillage (Mrs. John White), Gloucester Point. She has one son.

MEMORIES: Our classmates remembered Nettie Heywood and Geraldine Rowe as excellent teachers of English and Latin; school plays, May Days, and all the teachers who helped to mold our lives and characters.

Class of 1931

Chairman: Mary Edwards Harris

Hawsie Brown (Mrs. William Penn), Yorktown, worked as RN for six years, three daughters and two granddaughters.

Virginia Diggs, rehabilitation officer with Virginia Commission for the Visually Handicapped. She has overcome great difficulty to perform a most worthwhile work. She lost her eyesight several years after graduation from Achilles but remembers with gratitude the kindness of pupils and teachers at A.H.S.

Anne Hayes (Mrs. Bennett D. Pierce), Richmond. Her chief career is caring for her home and family, one grown daughter.

Lorene Webb (Mrs. Marshall Croswell), Hampton, has one son and three grandchildren.

Elizabeth West (Mrs. William Rowe), Hayes, has operated a beauty shop at Hayes for over 30 years. She has one grown daughter.

Christine Heywood (Mrs. Hannibal Shackelford), Achilles, does substitute teaching at Achilles and Abingdon Elementary Schools.

William Booker, Perrin, served in U. S. Air Force until retirement. He was stationed in Australia, New Guinea, Brazil and Argentina. Has two daughters and one grandson.

Norman Hogge, U. S. Postmaster at Hayes. He has three daughters and four grandchildren.

Leycester Owens, Portsmouth, a barber and real estate business. He has two sons (one son in medical school and one in pre-med).

Clifford Waddell, Tidemill, rural route mail carrier. He has one daughter and one granddaughter and a son at Virginia Polytechnic Institute.

Mary Edwards (Mrs. Oliver Y. Harris), Bena. She was a public school librarian for 11 years, she has one son and one daughter.

Lionel Jordan, Gloucester Point.

Henneth Hogge, Hayes, with Pure Oil Co.; has three daughters and four grandchildren.

Elwood Marshall, California.

Franklin Lillaston, Richmond.

Claude Roberts, Hampton.

Roger Buck, Gloucester Point; BS, Richmond; MA Duke; physicist, University of Richmond; now oceanographer, Virginia Institute of Marine Science; married, daughter, Nancy Tyler and son, Walter Roger Buck, IV.

Margaret Rowe (Mrs. G. B. Llewellyn), Yorktown.

Virginia Tillage (Mrs. Russell Armistead), Mathews.

Martha Hogge (Mrs. Stanley Belvin), Perrin.

MEMORIES: Fond memories of May Days and Graduation Day; the girl's basketball team with Miss Hawsie Rowe as coach. The boys recalled cleaning up the football field and completing the carpentry work in the shop building. 1931 was before the days of Smokey, the Bear, and some of the boys remembered the smoking saloon down in the woods.

Class of 1932

Chairman: Marie Ambrose Thornton

The class of 1932 had 25 graduates and to date none are deceased. Due to service in the armed forces some have traveled extensively.

Daisy Ambrose (Mrs. Floyd Nuttall), lives in Richmond; has traveled quite a lot, is active in church and civic clubs.

Dolly Ambrose (Mrs. Melvin Jenkins), mother of two children and two grandchildren. Works for federal government at Dahlgren.

Marie Ambrose (Mrs. Harry Thornton), housewife and mother of one daughter. She is active in church and school activities.

Clarice Bunting (Mrs. Stanley Williams), has four children. She is active in church work and being a wife and mother.

Annie Carmine (Mrs. Carrol Clements), Gloucester; has two children, and is employed at the Naval Weapons Station. Active in school activities.

George Ash, married and has one daughter, two grandchildren. He is a merchant at Achilles.

Myrtle Bonneville (Mrs. John Phillips), mother of one child, she lives in Williamsburg.

Jeanette Berry is working at the Naval Weapons Station and has spent her time being a devoted daughter to her widowed mother.

Nellie Hogge (Mrs. Elmer Green), mother of one daughter, she is employed by federal government at Fort Eustis.

Cecil Hogge, Achilles. He is retired from the Newport News Shipyard and Dry Dock Company.

William (Billy) Rowe, Richmond. Received his degree from the College of William and Mary and works with Vepco.

Lorraine Jenkins (Mrs. Isaac Blake), has two children, two grandchildren and resides with her husband at Bena.

W. Purnel Robbins, married and has two daughters. He is chief engineer in Merchant Marines. Lives in New Jersey.

Estelle Robbins (Mrs. Lynwood Haywood), employed by the federal government at Naval Weapons Station, Yorktown.

Margie Tillage (Mrs. Brown), housewife; lives at Ware Neck and is active in church work.

Mablind Thomas (Mrs. W. E. Belvin), married her classmate, "Nutty"; enjoys entertaining and her work in civic organizations.

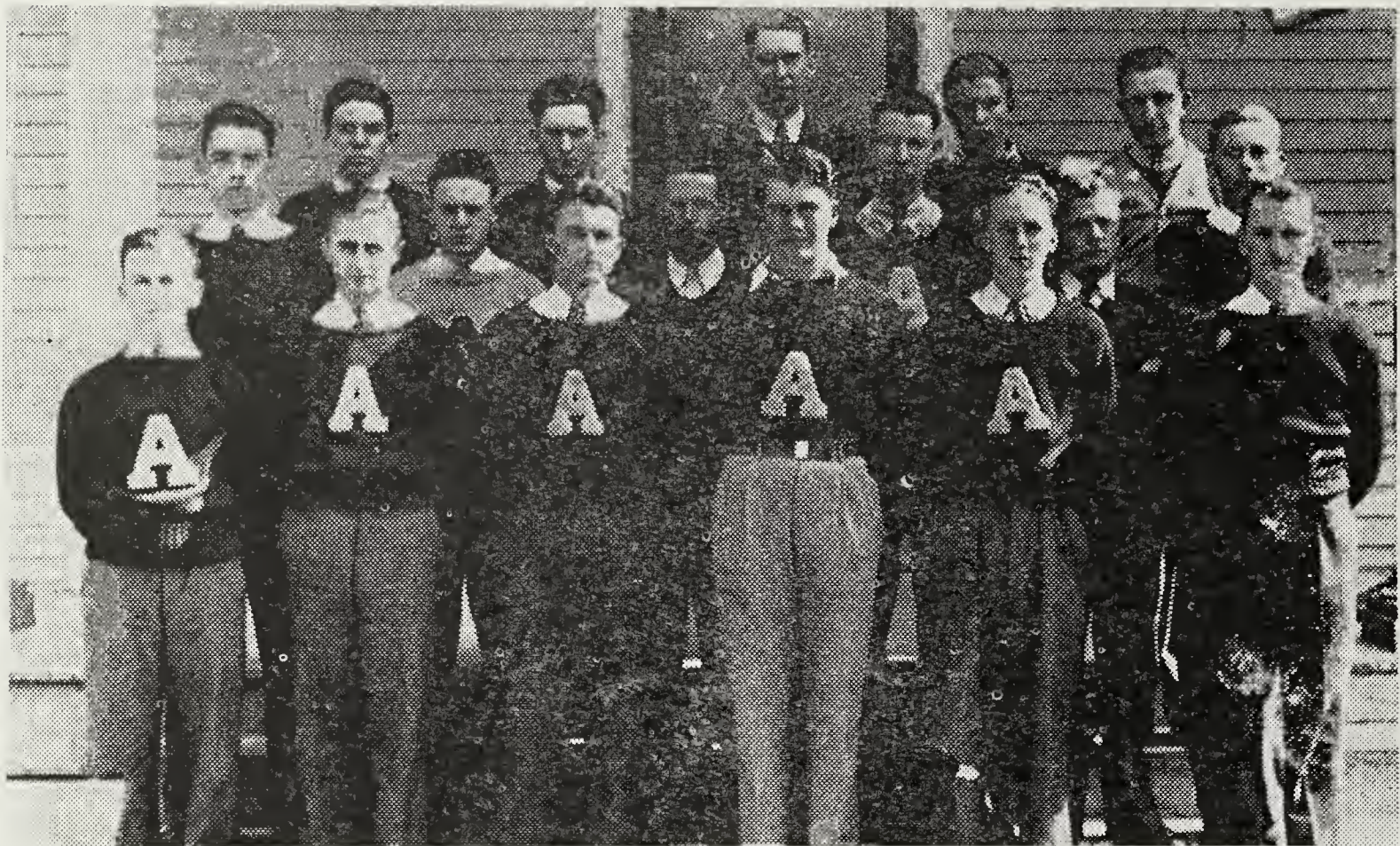
Edith Thomas (Mrs. William Booker), mother of two children. She has traveled extensively with her husband while in the Air Force. She now works at Fort Eustis.

Geneva Booker (Mrs. Nathan Belvin), Severn. Housewife and mother of one daughter.

John Tillage, married and employed as supervisor at Naval Weapons Station, Yorktown.

Cecil Rowe, married and has four children, three grandchildren. He is the owner and operator of Western Auto Store, Appomattox.

1939 ACHILLES MONOGRAM CLUB



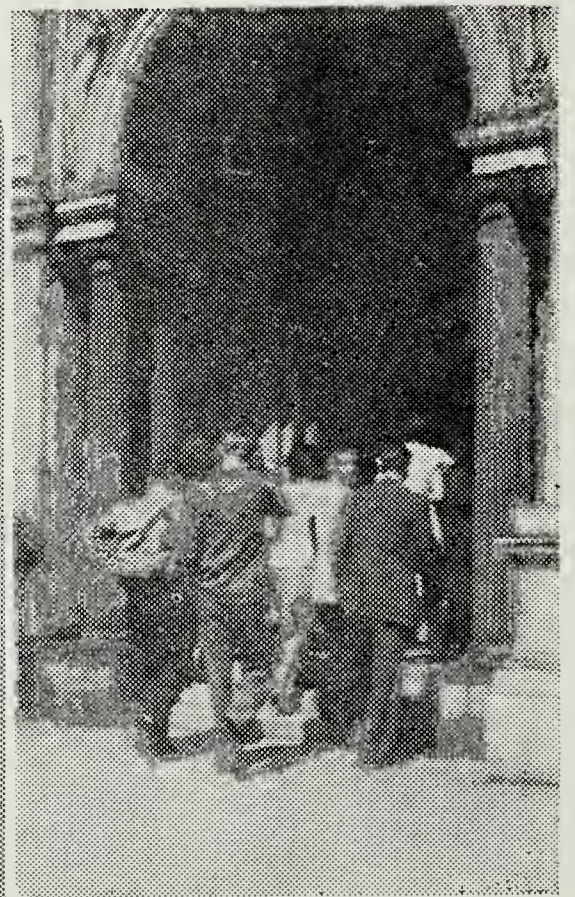
Many members of the Abingdon Monogram Club of 1939 (shown above) are expected to attend homecoming June 18 at their alma mater when alumni and their families, former teachers, principals and friends gather for an afternoon program, dinner scheduled for 5 p.m. at the school and the evening program to follow at Union Baptist Church. In the picture are: first row, left to right: Leslie Williams, Graham Hogge, Morris Hogge, Jennings Heywood (deceased), Milton Harris, Jr., and Francis Hall. Second row: Kenneth Jenkins, C. B. (Buck) Rowe, Jr., Bill Dudley, Lyn Wallace, Charles Clayton and Gilbert Hogge. Third row: Lawrence Brown, Royal Harris, William A. Graves, Jack Poland and James Hogge.

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Francis Smith, married and is employed by the Newport News Shipyard & Dry Dock Co. He lives at Achilles.
Susie Hogge (Mrs. Shurley), has traveled extensively with her husband and has now settled in Atlanta, Ga.
Eloise Hogge (Mrs. Edgar Moore), Gloucester. Wife and mother; works as nurse's aide and is active in church and school activities.
Dorothy Dobson (Mrs. Robert Williams), lives with her husband at Fort Meade, Md., where he is stationed.
Eva Perkins (Mrs. Othro Upshur) lives in Eastville, Va.

MEMORIES: All were happy days at Achilles one classmate says. Another remembered the Literary Contests between Botetourt and Achilles and the old-fashioned May Days when the day would end with a play given by the faculty. Another remembered the understanding teachers. Another remembers building the athletic field. "We remember selling candy to help build our gymnasium so we would like very much to save it for the children in the future," writes Mrs. Marie A. Thornton.

Class of 1933

Chairman: Elizabeth H. Hogge

Alice Brown (Mrs. Elbert Williams), has three children, three grandchildren, and lives at Maryus.
Kathryn Diggs (Mrs. William Dawson), has one daughter and is retired from Chesapeake & Potomac Telephone Company. Lives in Newport News.
Elizabeth Fary (Mrs. Gregory A. E. Rowley), New York. Has two children and is self-employed as professional seamstress.
Elizabeth S. Hogge (Mrs. Arthur Hogge), Hayes, is an assistant editor of Gazette-Journal.
Elizabeth King (Mrs. William Purcell Rowe), Bena. Has one daughter and drives school bus.
Earl Robins, has two sons and is employed as technical supervisor in Houston, Texas.
Ralph Robbins, has one daughter and two grandchildren. Is retired from seafood business and is now self-employed as paint contractor at Clay Bank.
Alice Rowe (Mrs. Justus Jacobson), Newport News. Husband is retired from Army and she is employed at the Fort Eustis Post Exchange.
Minnie Rowe, Alexandria, Va.
Lola Seawell (Mrs. John Ernest Rilee), Gloucester. Has two sons, four grandchildren. She is employed as prac-

tical nurse at Sanders Nursing Home, Gloucester.
Garland Shackelford, (president of the Senior Class of 1933). Has three children and resides at Severn. He is employed at Naval Weapons Station, Yorktown.
Margaret Tillage (Mrs. Vernon Roach), Richmond. Has two sons; is employed at the First and Merchants Bank, Richmond.
Goldie Williams (Mrs. Thomas O. Bowers), Newport News. Has two children. She has a BS degree from Longwood College and is a teacher in public schools in Hampton.
Edison Smith, married Lovestein Hudson from North Carolina. He is employed at Naval Weapons Station, Yorktown.
Harry Ward, married Ella Mae Gregg. Has two children. Owns and operates restaurant.
Sara Deibert, single, resides at Severn. She is employed by A & P in the Buckroe Shopping Center as bookkeeper.
Deceased: Mae Hogge, July 2, 1937; Lloyd Jenkins, July 11, 1934.

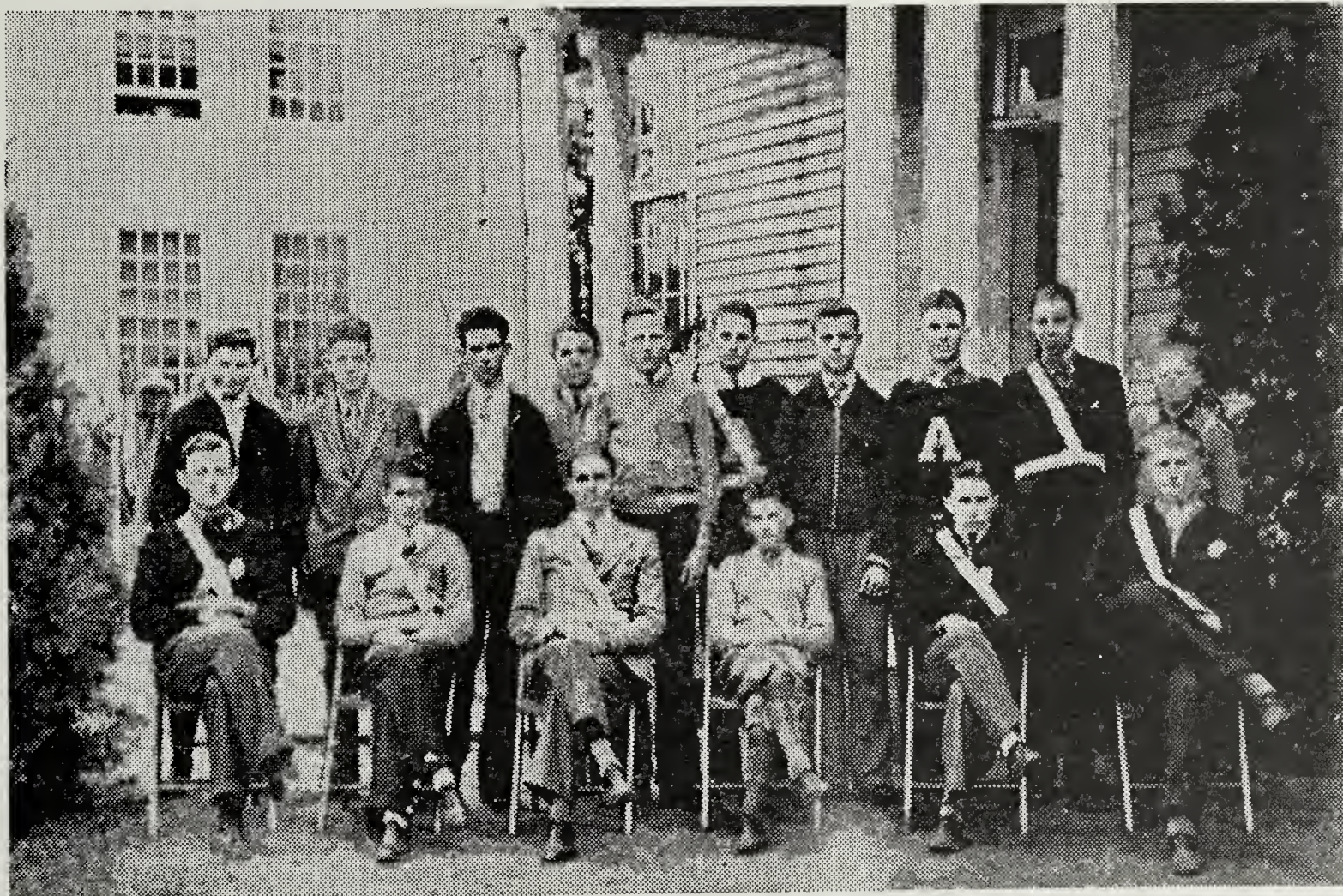
(Held class reunion on July 13, 1963 at Seawell's Ordinary. Dean Fred Helsabeck also attended the class reunion.)

MEMORIES: The class of 1933 selected the first class ring with head of Achilles insignia on black onyx. Also remembered M. S. Starnes told the history class on one occasion that some of the girls in the class were so dumb they thought the "Mayflower Compact" was something to powder one's nose.

Class of 1934

Chairman: Bennett Lewis

Stuart Buck, World War II veteran; married and has one son. He works for the Chesapeake Corporation in West Point.
Corrie DeShazo, married and lives in Maryland.
Elaine Dudley (Mrs. C. E. Johnson), has three children (twin boys and then 16 years later, a daughter); works in the Children's Clinic, Newport News.
Marcella Hogge
Bernice King (Mrs. Leamond Hall), Gloucester Point. She has two children, three grandchildren and is legal secretary for Pointer & Feilds, Gloucester.
Catherine Tillage (Mrs. William Allen), Richmond. She works for Southern States.
Rebecca Hall
Bennett Lewis, married and has four children. Retired



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after serving with the U. S. Army for 30 years, now associated with Jordan Realty, Gloucester Point. He has BS degree, General Studies, APSC, Clarksville, Tennessee.; Masters Course, Hospital Administration, Baylor University. He has traveled through Europe and the Far East.

James Robins, married and lives in Portsmouth. Works in Naval Shipyard.

Class of 1935

Chairman: Helen Lindsay Holben

Christine Rowe (Mrs. Williard Jensen), has two children and lives in Illinois.

Beatrice Lewis (Mrs. James Williams), has four children and lives in Staunton, Va.

Fannie Keys (Mrs. F. S. Johnson), lives in Newport News.

Madeline Jenkins (Mrs. Edwin Oliver), has one daughter. Worked for three years in Colonial Store. Works with Girl Scouts. Lives in Gloucester.

Dorothy Belvin (Mrs. Otis Morey), has two children and one grandchild. Lives in Suffolk.

Catherine Brown (Mrs. Edward Hogge), Bena.

Eleanor Hogge (Mrs. George Ash), has one child and one grandchild. Postmistress at Achilles.

Virginia Rowe (Mrs. Lowery), Alexandria.

Elizabeth Acra (Mrs. B. R. Parker), Richmond.

Mildred Miller (Mrs. Mildred Bunting), Portsmouth. Has one daughter.

Octavia Seawell (Mrs. Douglas Walstrom), BA degree, the College of William and Mary. Lives in California.

Helen Lindsay (Mrs. Milford S. Holben), has one child. BA degree from the College of William and Mary. Teaches at York High School. Has traveled the East Coast from Florida to Maine.

Billy Perkins (Mrs. William McQuoid), has two children and one grandchild. RN from Riverside Hospital. Now working at Kecoughtan Veterans Hospital.

James E. Williams, married the former Beatrice Lewis. Lives in Staunton and has four children. Works for insurance company.

Deceased: Malcomb James Dunston, James Harris, James Smith.

MEMORIES: There were only four boys in this class and all of them were named "James." What a confusing time to keep them straight.

Class of 1936

Chairman: Wellington Williams

Charles Ashe, Gloucester Point. Married and has two children. Postmaster at Gloucester Point.

William Buck, Bethlehem, Pa. Is married and has a family. Works with Westinghouse Electric.

Gordon D. Carr (Bill), Ordinary. Bill is married and has three children.

Franklin Collins, Hampton. Married and has two children. Entered the U. S. Air Force immediately after graduation. Retired after 29 years of service. Traveled in Europe.

Byrd Jordan, Newport News. He is married and has two children. He has worked for Kingan & Co.; on the Richmond Police Traffic and Mounted Squad; Investigator for Retail Credit Co.; Insurance Adjustor, Claims Manager Superintendent with the Continental Insurance Co., for 22 years. At present he is general manager for C. D. West & Co.

Emmett Rowe, New Point, Mathews. Manager of Southern States, Inc., Gloucester.

Herman Rowe, Rt. 1, Hayes. Herman is married and has two children and two step-children. He is presently employed at the Naval Weapons Station, Yorktown. Served in the U. S. Army in World War II and was with the Assault Landing Team at Normandy on "D" Day. Has traveled in the States, England, Scotland, France, Belgium, Holland and Germany.

Dorothy Carmine (Mrs. James C. Hall), Newport News.

Esther Carmine (Mrs. P. H. Haynes), Hampton.

Lois Fleming (Mrs. S. C. Peatross), Richmond.

L. Wellington Williams, Gloucester Point. He is married and has two children. He has been self-employed for 15 years; seven years with U. S. Air Force, Langley Field. Traveled in Europe and Africa.

Florine Carmine (Mrs. Carmine), Hampton. Florine is married and has two children. Since her graduation she has been clerk of the Hampton High School Library. She has traveled in the United States.

Virginia Hogge (Mrs. Clarence Cox), Maryus.

Dorothy Newton (Mrs. Norman E. Hogge), Ordinary. She is married and has six children, four grandchildren. She has done secretarial work for her father until she married. Traveled in the United States. Is now a housewife and busy with church work.

Christine B. Shackelford, Gloucester Point.



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MEMORIES: Graduation, initiations and parties while attending agriculture class; friends, and helpful teachers; Latin and senior classes; biology class and Mr. Barr.

Class of 1937

Chairman: Thelma Rowe Shackelford

Virginia Blake is now Mrs. R. G. Janvrin, she lives in Lake Park, Florida and has one daughter.

Janice Anderton, lives at Gloucester Point. She is a professional librarian at Fort Eustis.

Virginia Brown is married to Jones Belvin. They live at Bena, have two daughters and two granddaughters. Virginia is secretary for Drs. Raymond and William Brown.

Thelma Rowe is Mrs. James B. Shackelford, lives at Achilles; they have one son Kenneth and a granddaughter. Thelma was secretary at Achilles School from April 21, 1955 until the new Abingdon School was opened and she was transferred to Abingdon School as secretary.

Mary Williams is married to Bolton Bunting; they live at Gloucester and have a son and daughter. Mary is secretary for her husband who owns B. M. Bunting's Oyster Company.

Doris Glazebrook is married to G. Bennett Lewis; they have four children. She has done a lot of traveling with her husband who served a number of years in the Army. They now live at Gloucester Point.

Margie Hogge married Thomas Morgan and they live at Gloucester Point.

Blanche Rowe married Peary Trombly, they live at Severn. Blanche is employed at Fort Eustis.

Jeanette Rilee married Vernon Walker, they live in Williamsburg.

Lucille Hogge married John D. Long and they live in Williamsburg.

Ethel Williams married Walter Wilkins and they live in Newport News.

Margaret Gibbs married L. D. Bryan and they live in Marietta, Ga.

Geraldine Tillage Carter lives in Richmond.

Edith Dunston married L. H. McWane and they live in Lynchburg.

Elda Wilburn married James Bristow and they live at Cologne.

Mary Carmine married William Roane and they live at Wicomico. They have three daughters, one teaches at Gloucester High School, one is in college and the younger is a student at Abingdon School.

Hammond Robins, Jr., is a teacher in the York County schools; he is now serving as supply pastor of Union Baptist Church.

Ellis Hall is married and has three sons, lives at Gloucester. He is a part owner of Broaddus & Hall. Has traveled to Brazil, London, Hawaii, Spain and Italy. Served in U. S. Army during world War II, stationed in India.

Robert W. Jordan is married and lives at Gloucester Point. They have two children and he is owner of the Jordan Realty Company.

Edward Rowe is married and lives at Gloucester.

J. T. Dunston is married and lives at Chesapeake, Va. They have two children and he works for the Norfolk Naval Shipyard.

Nathan Rowe is married and lives in Newport News.

Dr. William Seawell lives in Charlottesville. He is married and has two children. He holds a BS degree from the College of William and Mary; MA degree from George Peabody University and Ph.D. from the University of Virginia. He is now associate professor of education at the University of Virginia.

MEMORIES: Winning the games with Botetourt; Mrs. M. T. Harris' geometry class; and the home economics teachers.

Class of 1938

Chairman: Bessie Rowe Berry

Joyce Acra (Mrs. Rudolph Robertson), Richmond, Va.

Elizabeth Brown (Mrs. Vernon Heywood), Perrin.

Bernice Brown (Mrs. Everett Hall), Portsmouth.

Phyllis Brown (Mrs. Sam Kemp), Gloucester; has two children; works in office of Dr. W. W. Crittenden.

Frances Brown (Mrs. George Kahle), R.N., Newport News.

Howard C. Berry, RFD 2, Hayes.

Frances Dunston (Mrs. Joseph Robins), RFD 2, Hayes; has three children, employed at Plaza Pharmacy.

Ruth Diggs (Mrs. George Clark), RN, Newport News.

Jeanette Fleming (Mrs. Elwood Hogge), Wicomico; has four children and three grandchildren.

Josephine Hogge (Mrs. Arnot Grimstead), Deltaville.

Elizabeth Hogge (Mrs. Leslie Webb), Norfolk.

Evelyn Tennis King (Mrs. William Rash), RN, Newport



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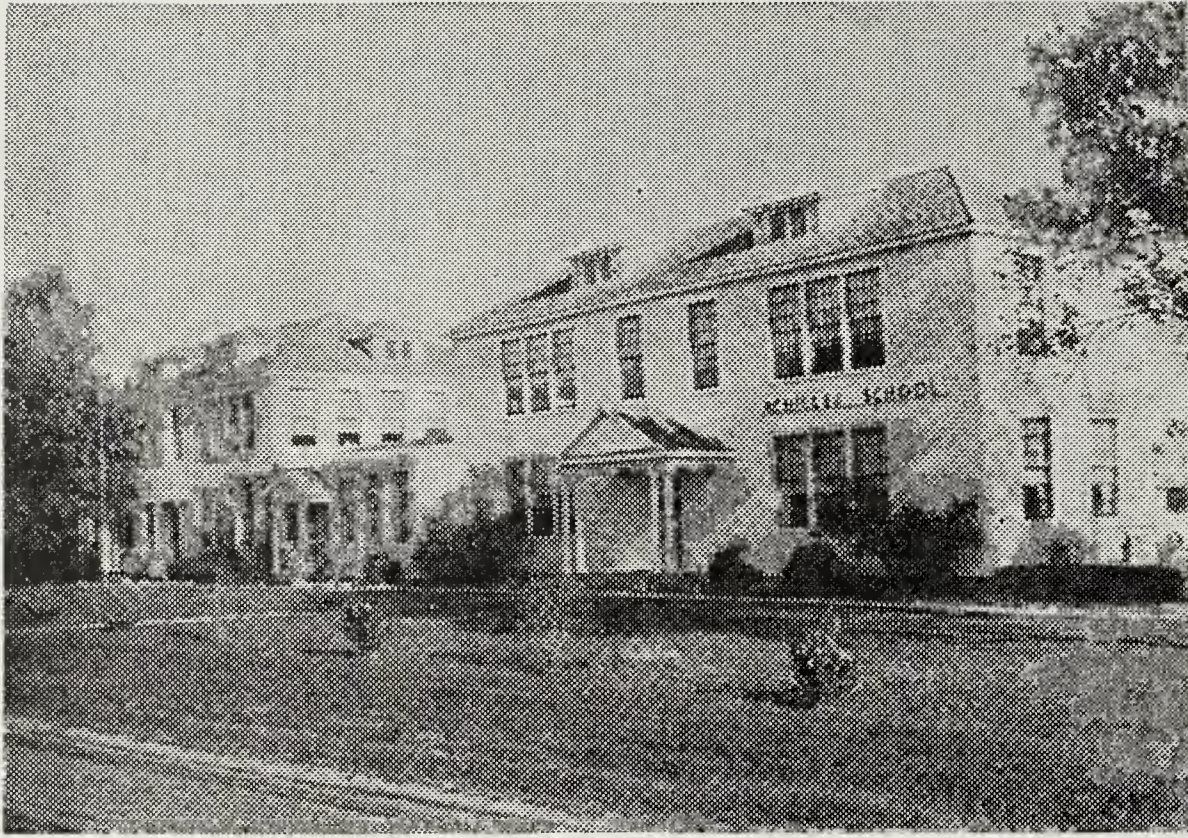
News.
Catherine Minor (Mrs. Catherine Weekly), Bena.
Eva Mae Oliver (Mrs. J. T. Bussey), Chesapeake.
Sylvia Quillian (Mrs. Kelley), California.
Bernice Rowe (Mrs. Everett Thomas), Hayes.

Bessie Rowe (Mrs. Robert Berry), Bena.
Elizabeth Rowe (Mrs. William Rowe), Perrin.
Thomas E. Smith, MD, Hayes.
Charlotte Thomas (Mrs. Robert N. Weaver), RFD 2, Hayes;
 has twin daughters and one son.

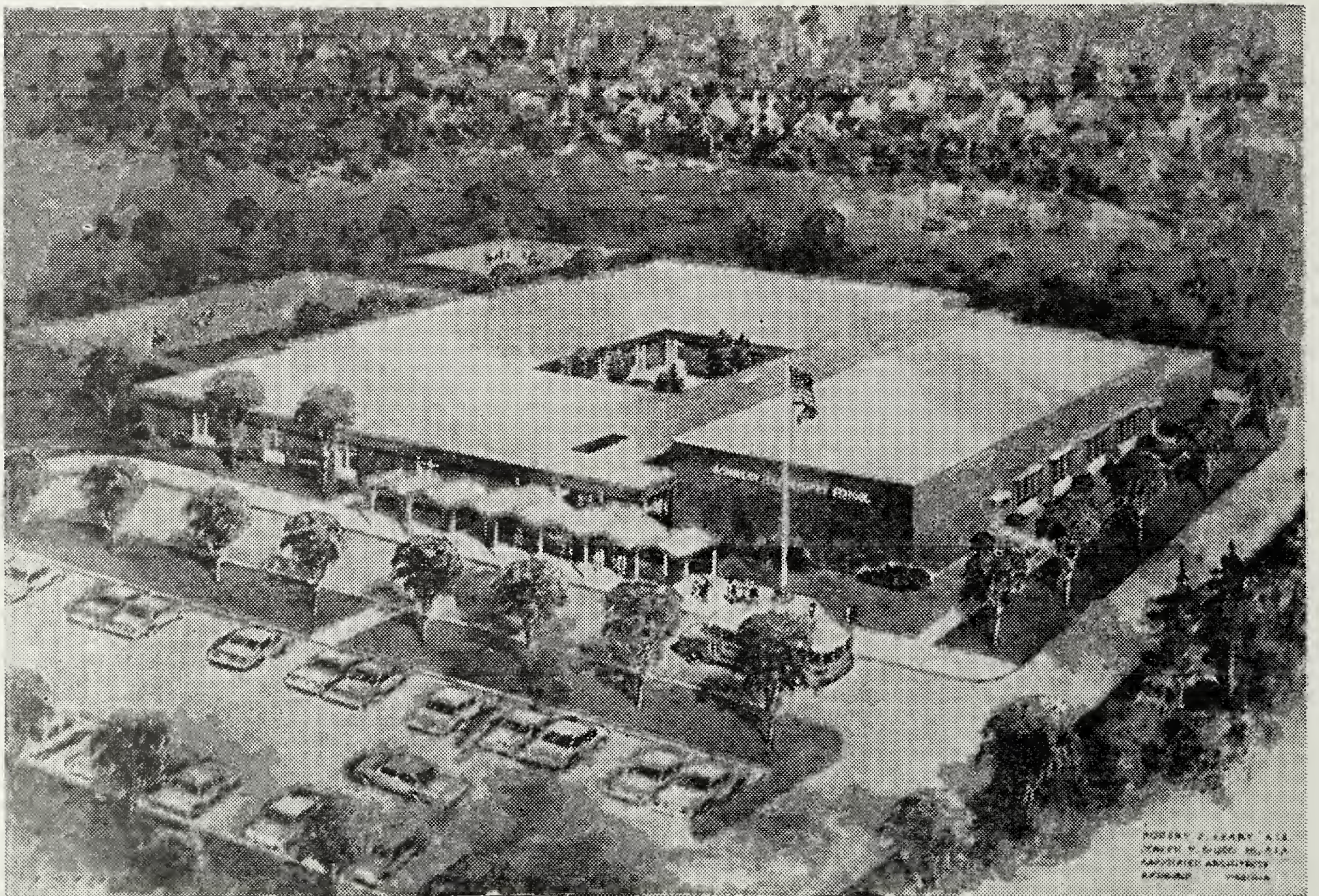


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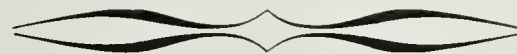
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2:00 P.M.—Visiting teachers in their rooms.
3:15 P.M.—Class reunions.
5:00 P.M.—Dinner.
7:30 P.M.—Evening Program at Union Baptist Church



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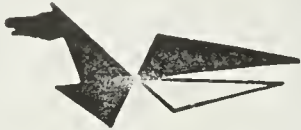
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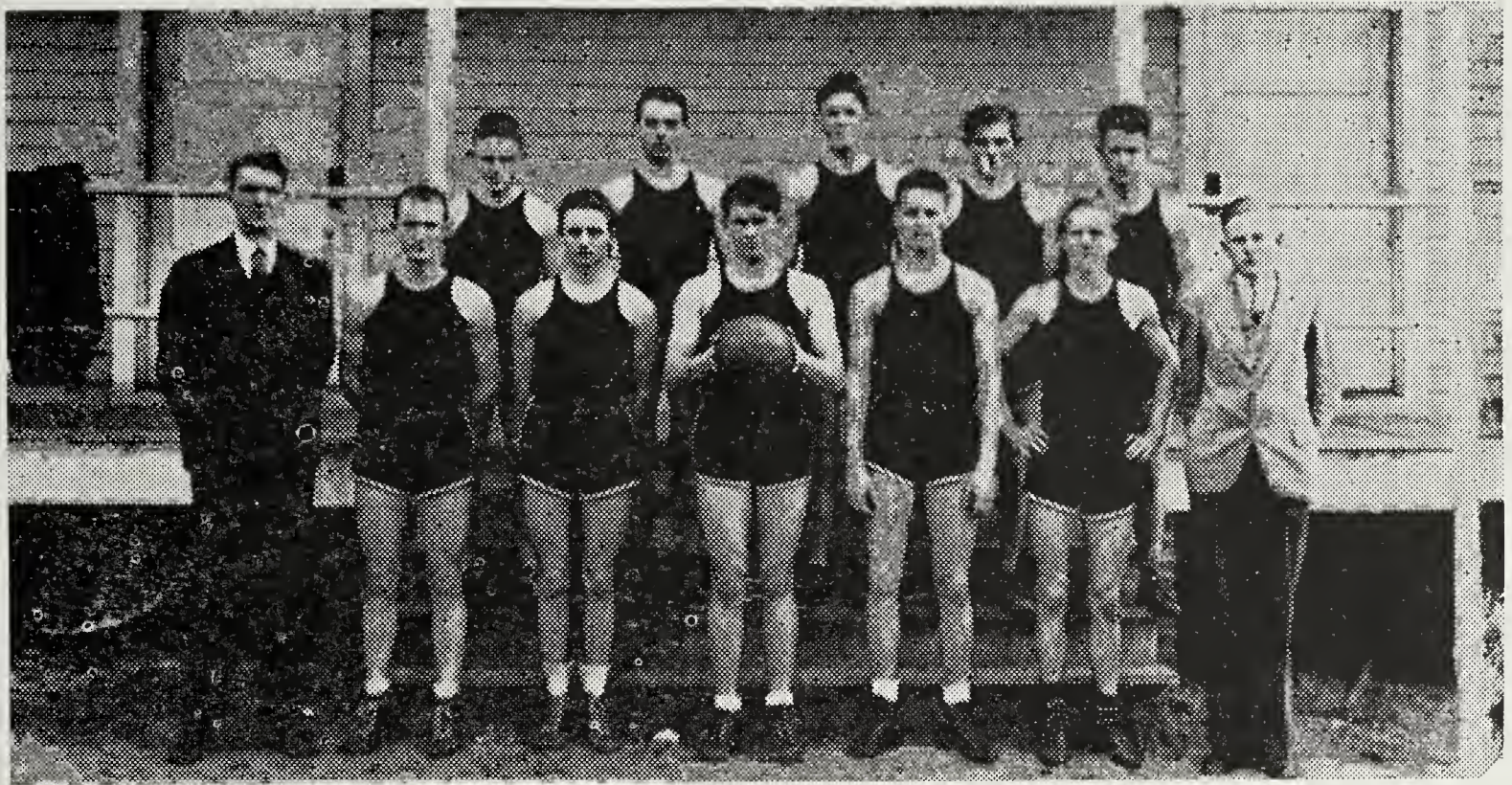
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Maynard Berryman, Principal, on left.

Class of 1939

Chairman: Everett H. Hogge

Mrs. Barbara Acra Stevens, resides at 302 Fairway Drive, College Park, Radford.

Miss Bessie Ambrose, patiently waiting for the right man to come along. Resides with parents at Wicomico.

Mrs. Juanita Ambrose (Maurice) Hoffman, has two girls and one grandchild. Attended Riverside School of Nursing for two years; assists husband in operation of Betti-Paige Shoppe, children's clothing store in Warwick Shopping Center; resides at 7 Cross Rd., Newport News.

Mrs. Lolita Ambrose (Kenneth) Jenkins, has two children and lives at Wicomico.

Mrs. Nettie Brown King, married and lives at Achilles.

Mrs. Virginia Brown Rowe, married and resides at Perrin.

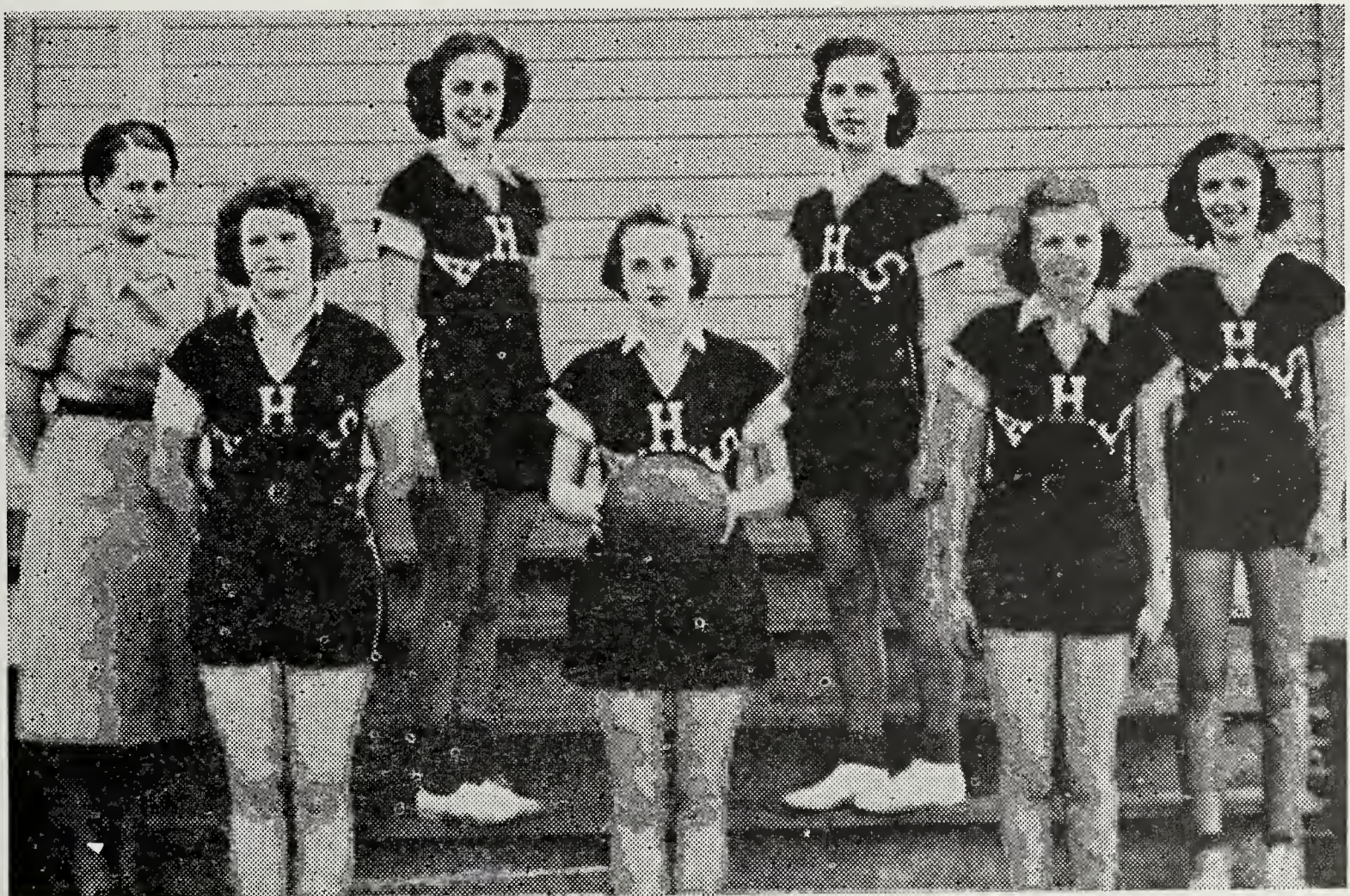
Mrs. Kathleen Carmine Purcell, married and resides at 15 Washburn Ave., Baltimore, Md.

William E. Dudley, has three girls and one granddaughter; graduated from Newport News Shipbuilding & Dry Dock Co. Apprentice School and is now a supervisor in the pipe department for the same shipyard; served in U. S. Navy; resides at 229 Pine Grove Rd., Newport News.

Mrs. Polly Dunston (William) Altemus, married and resides at Gloucester Point. Has four children.

Mrs. Grace Edwards Riggle, married, has three daughters and resides in Elverson, Pa.

Mrs. Alta Fleming Ayers, resides at Rt. 3, Box 108A, York-



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view Road, Yorktown.
William A. Graves, married and resides at 12 Belmont Place, Hampton.
Mrs. Helen Hall (M. T. Harris, Jr., married and resides at 71-J Ridge Road, Greenbelt, Md.
Milton T. Harris, Jr., married and resides at 71-J Ridge Road, Greenbelt, Md. Has four children, four grandchildren. Twenty years in Navy and now in Library of Congress.
Mrs. Margie Heywood Gibbs, resides at Route 2, Hayes.
Edward C. Hogge, married and resides at Bena.
Everett H. Hogge, married, has two girls and one boy; employed by Sears & Co., 1939-41; employed by U. S. Post Office, Newport News, since 1941 serving most of the time as a supervisor (finance examiner); served in an official office in the local, city and state PTA's; resides at 415 Harpersville Road, Newport News.
Mrs. Lydia Hogge Graham, married, has two boys, one girl and one grandson; traveled in Europe, Canada and eastern part of USA; resides at 33 Woodfin Road, Newport News.
Morris Hogge, married, has two boys and one girl; employed by Newport News Shipbuilding & Dry Dock Co.; worked as insurance salesman; has worked for U. S. Naval Weapons Station 21 years; traveled in Europe and most of U. S.; resides at Achilles.
Wiley D. Hogge, married and resides at Wicomico. He has three boys.
Kenneth W. Jenkins, married and has two girls and one boy; worked for Gloucester-Yorktown Ferry Corp., now director of transportation maintenance at U. S. Naval Weapons Station, Yorktown; served in U. S. Merchant Marine and traveled to Europe, Asia, Africa and South America; resides at Gloucester Point.
Mrs. Mildred Jordan (Johnny) Huff, married, has one boy and one girl; employed as IBM operator at Newport News Shipbuilding & Dry Dock Co.; now owner and operator of Joy-Lynn Shoppe at Hayes; resides at Gloucester Point.
Mrs. Ruby Kemp Kamsch, married and lives in Pasadena, Md.
Isaac W. King, married and resides at Severn.
Mrs. Marian King (James) Jenkins, married and resides at Bena; has a son and a daughter.
Marion L. King, married and resides at 8402 Chapel Hill Court, Baltimore.
William K. King, married and lives at Alexandria (Box 2).
William Vernon Lemons, married, has five children; serv-

ing in U. S. Navy and traveled world-wide; resides at Route 1, Box 55-A, Hayes.
James Edgar Pointer, Jr., married, has two sons; served as Commonwealth's attorney of Gloucester County and school board attorney; received BS degree and a BCL degree from the College of William and Mary.
Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Rilee Fred, married and resides at 1002 Highland Woods, Chapel Hill, N. C.
Mrs. Vivian Robins Hogge, married and resides at Severn.
Clarence B. Rowe, Jr., married, has one daughter and one grandchild; attended Newport News Shipbuilding & Dry Dock Co. Apprentice School; served in U. S. Navy; school board member; merchant and postmaster; traveled in Pacific Islands and Alaska; resides at Bena.
Mrs. Martha Rowe (William) Simmons, married, has three boys; attended Strayer Secretarial College for two years; traveled in Mid-west and Canada; resides at Gloucester Point.
Raymond E. Rowe, married and resides at 32 West Glenhaven Road, Portland, Maine.
Mrs. Fanny Seawell Bullard, married and resides at 1809 Leslie Drive, Chesapeake.
Mrs. Christine Shackelford Thomas, married, has two children; employed by Shepherd's Pharmacy for five years; now employed as a dental assistant for Dr. Thomas G. Luckam; resides at Bena.
Mrs. Ethel Thomas Gordon, married and resides in West Point.
Raymond L. West, married and resides at Route 1, Hayes (Box 89); has three daughters.
Mrs. Cornelia Williams (J. Graham) Hogge, married, has two boys and one girl, lives at Wicomico.
James Hamilton Williams, married and resides at Dahlgren; has four children.
Leslie R. Williams, married and resides at Maryus; has two daughters and a son, in insurance business.
Deceased: Miss Ethel Isabelle Hall and William Jennings Heywood.
MEMORIES: The good fellowship and fun with classmates, especially during the senior year, and the wonderful teachers; being a student with William King; why the gym didn't fall down while the class of '39 was at Achilles; the day Mr. Rouzie sent Barbara Acra and Mildred Jordan out of science class for throwing a comb across the room and they went to the lab and ruined all of his experiments.



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Marie Anderton (Mrs. John Baldwin), Gloucester Point. Attended Mary Washington College; two children (Donna and Billy); secretary for H. C. Shackelford & Sons, Inc.

Alma Blake (Mrs. Hinchcliff), Baltimore, Md.; two children.

Alice Carmine (Mrs. John Wilburn), Wicomico. Charles Clayton, Virginia Beach; has two children.

Christine Auguston (Mrs. Balentine), Chambersburg, Pa.; has two children.

Homer Buck, Gloucester Point; graduate Apprentice School, Newport News Shipbuilding & Dry Dock Co.; served in armed forces. Employed by U. S. Government; has two daughters.

Mary Carmine (Mrs. Billy Gregg), Gloucester; has three

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children, one grandchild.

Ann Gibbs (Mrs. John McDermott), Wicomico; two children.
Francis Hall, Urbanna; graduate Apprentice School, Newport News Shipbuilding & Dry Dock Co.; served two years in the U. S. Navy; served on Gloucester County Board of Supervisors, six years; presently with Texaco, Inc., as a combination consignee and distributor; four children.

Graham Hogge, Wicomico, attended Apprentice School, Newport News Shipbuilding & Dry Dock Co.; served two years, U. S. Army; staff manager, Interstate Life and Accident Co. Three children (Jimmie, Sherry, Scott).

Kate Hogge (Mrs. Louis Serio), Newport News.

Curtis Owens, Hayes; welder, Newport News Shipbuilding & Dry Dock Co.; has four children.

Clifton Rowe, Newport News, employed by Newport News Shipbuilding & Dry Dock Co.

Dorothy Mae Hogge (Mrs. Felix Rigau), Gloucester.

James Hogge, Perrin, engaged in seafood business; two children.

Katherine Jordan (Mrs. Harold Fenstermacher), Gloucester Point; two children; secretary, Jordan Realty.

Beverly Riley (Mrs. Lawrence Lamm), Scranton, Pa.; attended Mary Washington College; two children.

Emma Rowe (Mrs. Ashby Walshall), Gloucester Point; manager, Patio Shop; three children, one grandchild.

Lucy Seawell (Mrs. Virgil Forrest), Wicomico; three children.

Susie Shackelford (Mrs. William Hogge), Severn; three children.

Lyn Wallace, Gloucester Point; served in U. S. Navy three years; employed Naval Weapons Station; married 22 years, two children (Linda and Ricky). Traveled to West Coast in 1964 with family in house trailer.

Hilton Rowe, married and has four children. Twenty-six years in Army Air Force with rating of senior master. Now stationed at Langley Air Force Base.

Ada Marie Shackelford (Mrs. Francis Hall), Urbanna; attended Mary Washington College; four children (Craig, Frances Marie, Lewis and Laura).

Lorraine Thomas (Mrs. Garland Shackelford), Severn; employed at Binn's, Williamsburg; three children.

Ashby Walthall, Gloucester Point; insurance salesman; three children, one grandchild.

Deceased: Samuel Dunston, 1942.

MEMORIES: From Lyn Wallace: The many fine teachers who tried so desperately to teach me something—"How I wish I had paid more attention."

Class of 1941

Chairman: John R. Carr

Katherine Belvin (Mrs. Harry, Jr.) Ashe, Gloucester Point.

Annie Brown (Lee) May, Gloucester Point; has one son, Ronnie.

Paul L. Brown, Hampton; Moody Bible Institute.

John R. Carr, Ordinary; BS, University of Virginia.

Elizabeth Hogge (William) King, Achilles.

Gilbert Hogge, Ordinary; has three daughters and one son; is a rural mail carrier. Served in the armed forces during World War II.

Betsy Ishkanian (Homer) Buck, Gloucester Point; has two daughters; works as cashier in Bank of Gloucester.

Nettie Jenkins (Horace) Purcell, Gloucester Point.

Terethia Jenkins (Neil) Postlethwait, Dover, Del.

J. Hilton Jordan, Newport News.

Mildred King (Lambert), Lee Hall.

Lois Lemon (Leonard) Hartley, Silver Spring, Md.; registered nurse.

Mary Malay (Jack) Poland, Gloucester Point.

Mary Florence Muse (William) Burke, Gloucester Point; has one daughter.

Dorothy Robbins (Carl) Smith, White Marsh; has one daughter, Carla.

Mary R. Weimer, Fredericksburg.

James Wilbur Rowe, Newport News; attended NNSD Apprentice school.

John E. Smith, BA, BCL, College of William and Mary; attorney at law, Falls Church.

Ruth Smith (John B.) Falkenburg, Gloucester Point.

Deceased: Vernon Smith, killed in action, World War II.

Class of 1942

Nelton Ambrose, Richmond.

Gwendolyn Anderton (Mrs. Eugene Pipher), Hyattsville, Md. Has two children and has traveled to Nassau and Bermuda. She is now self-employed as public stenographer.

Nancy Blair (Mrs. Carey Minor), Roanoke; has two children.

Audrey Brown (Mrs. Robert L. Poole, Jr.), Newport News. Has three children and graduated from the Hampton Roads Business College.

Doris Brown (Mrs. A. A. Pehrs), LaCrescenta, Calif. Has traveled over the U. S. and Canada.

Marguerite Brown (Mrs. Francis R. Smith), Achilles. She



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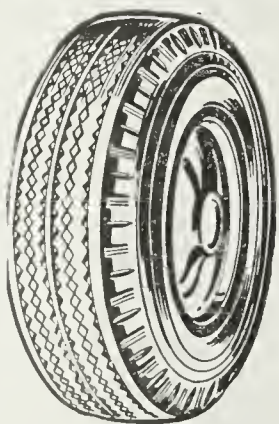
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Byron Conner, is married and a major in 5th Headquarters Artillery Corps. Lives in Germany.

Estelle Carmine is married to W. N. Prince, and lives in Jacksonville, Fla.

Delta Dame (Mrs. Joseph Schultz) lives in Chicago, Ill.

Roselle Deal (Mrs. John M. Clough, Jr.) has two children and lives in Old Bridge, N. J.

Kathleen Dudley (Mrs. Fleming Rilee), has five children, lives at White Marsh. She has traveled as far west as Colorado.

Martha Dutton (Mrs. Charles Clayton) Norfolk.

Ann Edwards lives in Athens, Ga. She is single; a registered nurse and an anesthetist.

Gwendolyn Harris (Mrs. T. L. Cataldo), Virginia Beach.

Robert Harris, married the former Estelle Belvin, and they have three children and live at Gloucester Point.

George R. Hayes, married, three children, lives in Hampton. Has BS degree from VPI.

Raymond Hodges, married and has two children. Lives at Gloucester Point.

Charles Hogg, married and has two children. Lives in Powhatan. He has BS degree from VPI (1946), and has traveled in the Mediterranean and Africa.

Lawrence Hogge, married the former Catherine Ann Ambrose; they have one child and live at Wicomico.

Margie Hogge (Mrs. Mike Patronagio), Molene, Ill.; has two children and has traveled to Mexico.

Rose Marie Hogge (Mrs. Charles Ward, Newport News.

Billie Ishkanian (Mrs. C. A. Edwards), has one child and lives at Gloucester Point. Has traveled to Canada, British West Indies, France, Italy, Austria, Switzerland, Denmark, Sweden and England.

Ida Mae Jenkins (Mrs. Hudgins Miles) has two children and lives in Mathews.

Alma King (Mrs. James Lupton), Hampton. Has one child, attended the College of Hampton Roads and has worked as executive secretary and accounting.

Jennings Phillips is married and lives in Alexandria.

Jack Poland, married the former Mary Malay and they have three children. They live at Gloucester Point. He has traveled in Europe.

Wallace Rowe is married and lives in Newport News.

Willard Rowe is married and lives in Newport News.

Dorothy Rowe (Mrs. William Dudley), Newport News. She has three daughters and one granddaughter.

Edith Rowe (Mrs. Joseph Nevista), Cleveland, Ohio.

Virginia Shackelford (Mrs. Archie McIntyre); has three daughters and lives in Marion, S. C. She has a BS from Longwood.

Fannie West (Mrs. Samuel Johnson), Denbigh. Has four children.

Ann Williams (Mrs. Douglas Young), Sandston.

Louise Williams (Mrs. Richard Marsh), Urbanna; she has three children.

MEMORIES: Our beloved principal, M. W. Berryman; our school spirit; athletics, and May Day festivities.

Class of 1943

Chairman: Carlton Heywood

Maxwell K. Jordan, Gloucester Point. Mac is married and has three daughters. He is the owner of a general contracting business in Gloucester.

Mildred A. Conner (Mrs. Michael Dirlle), Tidemill. Mildred is a housewife and the mother of two daughters and one son.

J. Carey Minor, 3679 Peakewood Drive, Roanoke. Carey and Nancy have two children. He is vice-president of the Thomas Rutherford Bonding and Insurance Co.

Nellie L. Jenkins (Mrs. David M. Callahan), 1600 Bill St., Norfolk. Nell is a management technician.

Herbert B. Robins, Gloucester Point. H. B. and Peggy have two children. He is employed in the hull design department of the Newport News Shipyard.

Rugh R. Rowe, Rt. 2, Hayes. Hugh is assistant fire chief, U. S. Coast Guard Training Center, Yorktown. Hugh and Elizabeth have two children.

Maryus J. Rowe, Jr., Ordinary. Mike has a tire business in Gloucester, is married and has one son.

Lucille C. Kemp (Mrs. Raymond Wilson), Norfolk.

Ella Mae Tevepauh (Mrs. Donald Jackson), Mill Farms, Tabb. She has one son, Michael.

Louis Shackelford, Achilles. Louis is employed at the Naval Weapons Station, Yorktown.

Clebard Diggs, 1035 N. Birch St., Deerfield, Ill.

Ordale Brown (Mrs. Frank Dietrick), New Jersey. Ordale has two sons and is a statistical clerk for California Packing Corp.

Carlton Heywood, Gloucester Point. Carlton and Jean have one daughter, Wendy. Carlton works for a Ford dealership in Poquoson.

MEMORIES: As for outstanding memories we really have many but perhaps Carey Minor best expressed it by saying: "We graduated!"

Class of 1944

Chairman: Hazel Belvin Rowe

David Edward Anderton, married and has two children, Dale and David. He is vice-president of Peninsula Bank and Trust Company, Williamsburg. Graduate of the School of Banking, Rutgers University.

Preston Elmo Bradley, married and has three children. Major in the U. S. Air Force.

Bertha Christine Ambrose (Mrs. Maurice Gamache), married and has three children. Worked at Naval Weapons Station for one year and now a housewife.

Beverly Ann Davenport (Mrs. Charles Ashe), married and has two children. Has been secretary for Civil Service and Virginia Institute of Marine Science.

Benjamin Elias Borden, Jr., married and has one child, Benjie. He was in the trucking business and is now in



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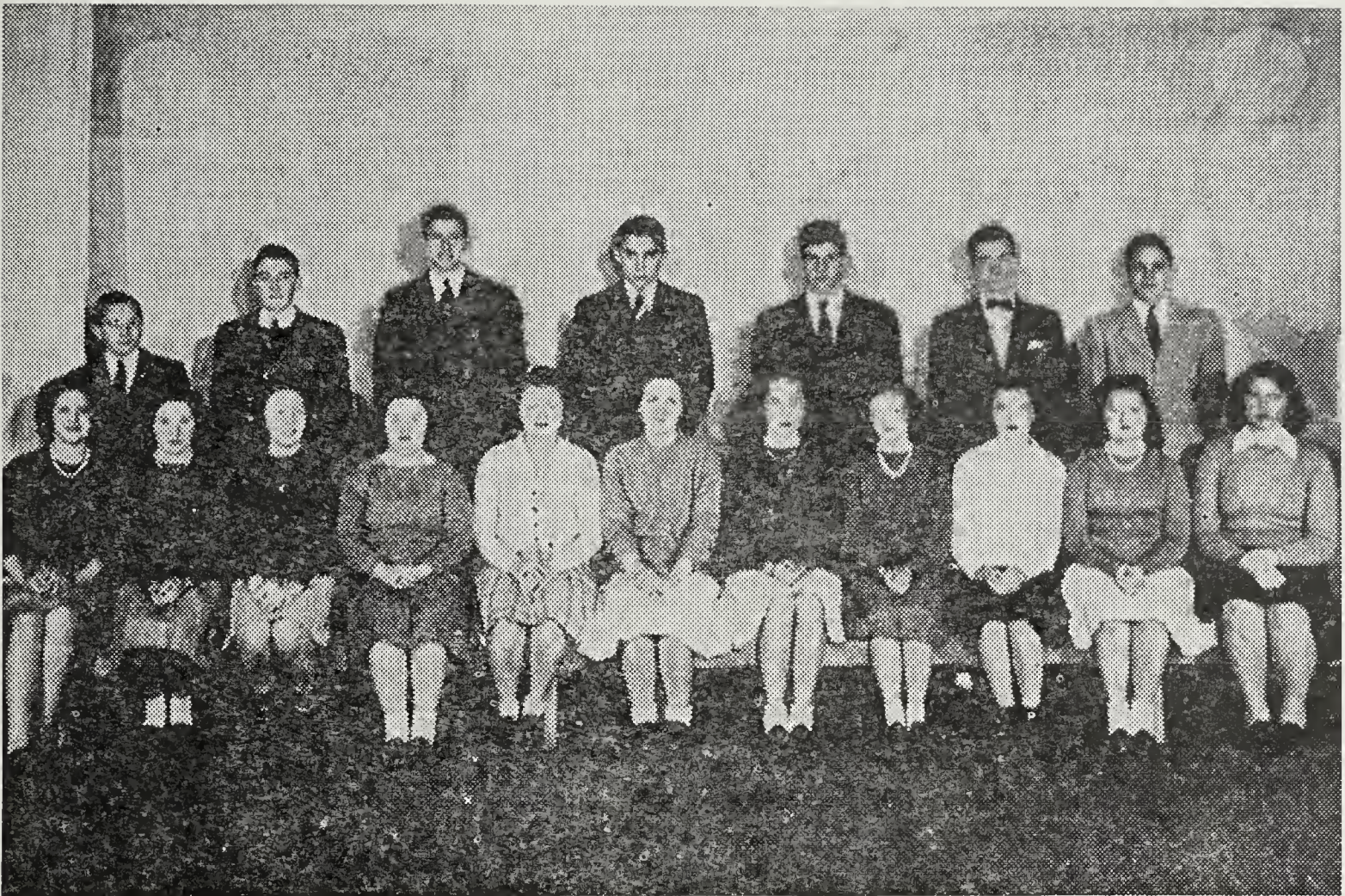
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CLASS OF 1945

the insurance business. He attended VPI one year.

Walden Decatur Carmine, married and has seven children. General contractor, developer and investor.

Hazel Marie Belvin (Mrs. Francis Rowe), married and has three children. Worked in Civil Service and is a housewife.

Dorothy Marguerite Green (Mrs. Lawrence P. Oliver, Jr.) married and has six children. She worked in Civil Service and is now a homemaker in Indianapolis, Ind., where her husband is a postal inspector.

John Franklin Hogge, married and has one step-son, one grandchild. He is the owner and operator of Hogge's Home Improvement Corp., Newport News.

Charles Frederick Green, married and has four children. He has a BS degree in engineering.

Edith Carvel Jenkins (Mrs. Therman), married and is a housewife.

Doris Ellen Hall (Mrs. Cecil Leigh), married and has one child. She works in Civil Service.

Milton Stephen Hogge, married and has one boy and one girl. Works at the Naval Weapons Station, Yorktown.

Herbert Leon Hicks, married and is a supervisor at the George P. Coleman Bridge.

Delia Rebecca Kemp (Mrs. Richard Fanning), married and works as timekeeper at the Newport News Shipbuilding & Dry Dock Company.

Edna McLain Haynes (Mrs. Robert Hicks), married and has three children. She is a housewife and works as part-time secretary for Severn Insurance Agency; organist.

Harry Randolph Jordan, married and has two children. BS degree in mechanical engineering, VPI. Employed at the Naval Weapons Station, Yorktown.

Charles Decatur Williams, married and has two children. He is a partner in the Suffolk Business Machine Corp.

Alice Marie Newbill (Mrs. Ray Doggett), married and has three children. She is a housewife.

Grace Mae Riley (Mrs. Graham).

Irvin Christian Rowe, married and has three children. Works in Civil Service at NASA, Langley Field.

William Lee Williams, married and has three children. Works with the Humble Oil & Refining Co., Newport News.

Ruth Casey Newton (Mrs. Claude Brown), married and has three children. She is a housewife in Williamsburg.

Esther Marie Williams (Mrs. Carroll Childers), married and has two children. She is a housewife.

Albert Green, Uncle Sam needed him before the school year was complete; however he received his diploma along

with the class. He was unable to be at the graduation exercises so his father received the diploma for him. He is married and living in Texas and is in some way connected with the space program.

MEMORIES: Influence of such dedicated teachers as Mrs. Nettie Rowe and Mrs. M. T. Harris; the love and devotion of such a dedicated man as Mr. Tom Hogge, and the rickety old building.

Class of 1945

Co-Chairmen: **Estelle Belvin Harris**
and **Mary Harris Leigh**

Lavinia Ash Stuart (Donald), mother of three children; currently residing in Washington; BS degree.

Estelle Belvin Harris, mother of three children; resides at Gloucester Point.

Doris Blake Fleming, mother of two children; presently residing in Brookhaven, Pa.

Gene Conner, executive vice-president of Peoples National Bank, Manassas, Va. He has one child, Betty Susan.

Thomas Dame, Jr., electrical-heating and air conditioning contractor, Naxera, and father of six children and has one grandchild.

Mary Harris Leigh, mother of three children; currently residing at Hayes.

Evelyn Haynes Leigh, mother of one son; presently residing at Gloucester.

Nelson Junius Hogge lives in Fairfax, Va.

Dorothy Hogge Smith, mother of two children, lives in Richmond.

Ella Jordan Bradshaw, mother of seven children; resides in Poquoson.

Harold Hogge, Jr., is married and lives in Boston, Mass.

John H. Ransone, father of five children; manager of Kroger Market, Roanoke.

Suzette Toombes Goudie, married to retired Naval commander; currently residing in Milan, Italy. BA degree in history.

James Roger Robins, father of two children; owner of Robins' Construction Company, Moon.

Douglas P. Smith, one child; district manager for U. S. Chamber of Commerce, residing in Richmond.

Bernice Williams Hall, mother of four children, Civil Service employee, residing at Gloucester Point.

Mildred Robins Stubblefield, resides at Achilles, mother of three children.

Elizabeth Woodson (Hugh) **Rowe**, mother of two children;



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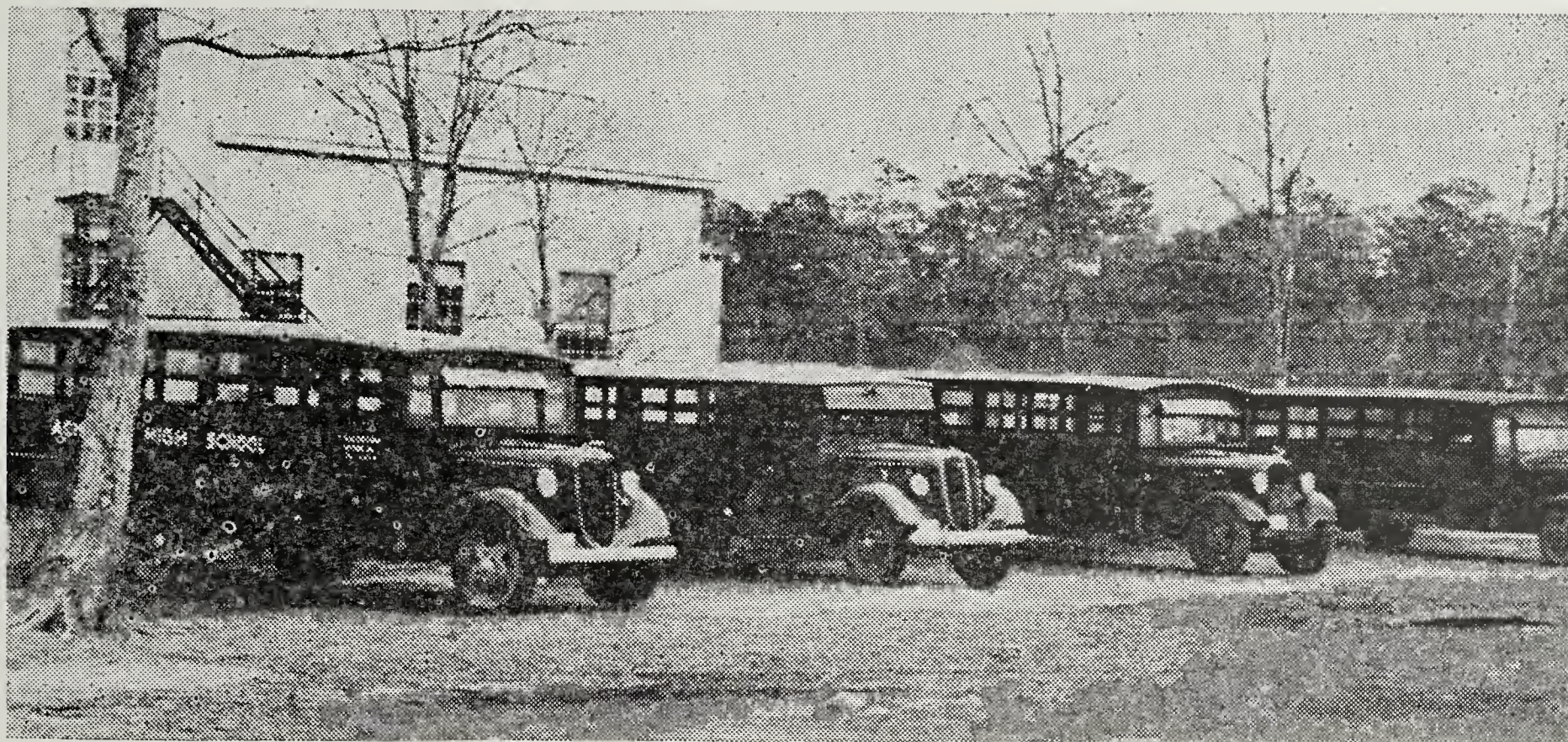
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MEMORIES: Fond memories of our classmates, publishing the annual and our teachers.

Class of 1946

Chairman: Esther Marie Hall Jordan

- N. Clements Carr, Jr.**, Ordinary, married and has four children, oyster planter, Chesapeake Corp. and has traveled in Europe.
- Charles Gordon Dudley**, S/Sgt., in U. S. Army Air Force; married and has four children.
- William James Green**, Perrin. He is single and lives with his parents; retired.
- Vernon Jenkins**, Perrin; married.
- Norman H. Poland**, Gloucester Point. Married and has two children. Part owner in J. B. Poland & Sons Super Market. Served in Korea while in Army.
- Samuel M. Rowe, Jr.**, Achilles. Sam is single.
- Herbert Shackelford**, Gloucester Point. Married and has two children. Research machinist, NASA, Langley.
- Lewis White**, Wicomico. Lewis is single and works at NASA, Langley.
- Catherine Ambrose Hogge**, Wicomico. She is married and has one daughter.
- Maxine Brown Becknell**, Tidemill. Has two children. She is a beautician.
- Katherine Jane Buck**, Annandale. Katherine is single and teaches in Annandale. She is a graduate of Longwood College.
- Doris Mescal Conner Courtney**, Kinsale. She is married, has one child and is a graduate of Longwood College.
- Iona Green Eustice**, Philadelphia, Pa. She is married and has two children. Lived in Japan and Okinawa.
- Marcella Green Jonkins**, Maryus. She is married.
- Vivian Green (Ralph) Oliver**, Coke. Married and has four children.
- Esther Marie Hall (Harry) Jordan**, Gloucester Point. Married and has two children. Secretary for 12 years.
- Jean E. Hogge (James Earl) Shackelford**, Portsmouth. She is married and has one child. She has a BA degree, Longwood; Candidate Med. Degree, William and Mary, 1967, and is elementary teacher and choral director in Portsmouth.
- Edith Jenkins Lumpkin**, Yorktown. Married and has three children. Secretary for some years.
- Jean Jenkins (Jones) Brown**, Gloucester Point. Married and has one son.
- Virginia Jenkins Owens**, Perrin. Married and has four children. Secretary for a few years.
- Betty L. Minor Crews**, Baltimore, Md. Divorced and has one child. Supervisor, children's unit, assistant director Nursing Service, Union Memorial Hospital, Baltimore.

Jean G. Oliver (Carlton) Heywood, Gloucester Point. Married and has one daughter. She has BS degree, Longwood College, classroom and piano teaching. Social Welfare worker.

Patty L. Polick (William) Buck, Bethlehem, Pa. She is married, has six children and has traveled in Mexico, Canada and throughout United States.

Dorothy V. Riley (Billy) Smith, White Marsh. She is married and has two children.

Kathleen Rowe Bonner, Gloucester Point. She is married and has one child.

Jennie Seawell (Tom) Handley, Wicomico. Married and has three children, including twins.

Shirley E. Thomas Brown, Perrin. Married and has two children.

MEMORIES: Remembered most of all the outstanding teachers, Mrs. M. T. Harris and Mrs. James Rowe and the school newspaper, "Voice of Achilles."

Class of 1947

Chairman: Katherine Ash Carmine

- Elva Joyce Edwards Adams** has three children and is living in Cicero, Ill. She is taking a practical nursing course at the present time.
- Katherine Ash (Walden) Carmine**, a homemaker, attended Mary Washington College for two years. She has seven children and lives at Gloucester Point.
- Frances Belvin Phillips** has one daughter and lives in Hampton. She holds an RN from Buxton and is now an anesthetist at Riverside Hospital.
- Jennie Belvin Chapman** is a homemaker living in Norfolk. She has two children.
- Juanita Bunting Jacobson** is a widow with two sons living in DesPlains, Ill. She is supervisor of the accounting department for Faston Corporation.
- Bessie Conner** has a BS in music from Bridgewater, masters from Scarrett, and is now program counselor for North Mississippi Conference and a deaconess in the Methodist Church.
- Jean Hall (Marvin) Brown** has two children, lives at her childhood home and is Providence Baptist Church secretary.
- Mary Hall Harris** has five sons and is a homemaker living at Tidemill.
- Mary Heywood (Hunter, Jr.) Riggins** is an RN from Buxton; has four children and lives in Poquoson.
- Mary Alice Hogge Harris** is a homemaker with three children living at Severn.
- Annie Jenkins (Richard) Pruitt** is a homemaker. She has four children and lives in Newport News.
- Markie Jenkins Hypes** is a homemaker with four children and lives at Bena.

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Mary Slater Rowe (Wilbur, Jr.) Riley is a homemaker with three children. She lives in Wicomico.

Helen Russell West has two sons, lives in Winchester and is a homemaker.

Thomas Riley has two children and lives at Gloucester Point. He works at the Naval Weapons Station; is a deacon at Gloucester Point Baptist Church.

Amy Rowe Fetzer holds a BA from Kings College, Delaware. She has five children and lives in Cleveland Heights, Ohio.

Betty Ann Williams (Liston K. Jr.) Shackelford has two children. She lives at Gloucester Point and is a partner in Shackelford Insurance Agency.

George Lewis Anderson lives in Williamsburg. (We believe.)

Lucille Greene Roden is a homemaker with four children and lives in Richmond.

Wallace Williams, Jr., is a distinguished looking (so we hear) bachelor and is in the insurance business in Newport News.

MEMORIES: The May Days, the plays at night, the playhouse in Miss Lesbia's first grade. The Senior trip to Washington and the picnic at the park in Richmond.

Class of 1948

Chairman: Lois Ash Carr

Harry Lee Dunston, Johns Island, Charleston, S. C. Married and has two children.

Kenneth Heywood, Hayes. He is single; has served in USCG and is stock manager at Bi-Lo. Has traveled from South Carolina to New York.

Alvin Newton, Bellamy. Married and has four children. He is owner of Newton's Bus Service and part owner of Brothers Motors. Has traveled through many states.

Maynard Oliver, Wicomico. He is married.

Carl Schlifer, Gloucester Point. He is single and is a book-keeper.

William S. Thomas, Hayes. Married and has one son. Marine dealer and champion in E Service class boat racing. He has traveled in almost every state, Canada, Mexico.

William W. Thomas, Severn. Married and has one child. Refrigeration and air condition mechanic. Has traveled throughout the United States.

Gordon Wallace, Elizabeth City, N. C. Married and has two children. Served in U. S. Navy and is staff manager for Southland Life Insurance Co.

Amos West, married and has two girls. Served in USAF. He is coach-teacher in the Hampton school system. Has BS in physical education and has traveled in United States and Alaska.

Lois Marie Ash (Mrs. Clements Carr, Jr.), Perrin. Has two sons, two daughters. She has taught at Warwick High; postmistress at Perrin; graduate of Averett College, BS, business education from Longwood College. She has traveled from Florida to Canada, Ohio to Los Angeles, Calif., and Hawaiian Islands.

Margaret Blake (Mrs. Clayton Davis), Hayes, Rt. 2. She is receptionist for Dr. Franz Kraler.

Martha Ann Brown, Newport News. R.N., Riverside Hospital, Johnston-Willis Hospital. Has traveled from Canada to Miami, Florida.

Estelle Deal (Mrs. John D. Hogge, Jr.), Gloucester Point. Has two children and is proprietor of grocery store, Department of the Army, Fort Eustis. Has traveled from S. C. to Canada, Tennessee and Pennsylvania.

Sophie Deal (Mrs. Jennings Hogge), has one daughter.

Betty Ann Diggs (Mrs. Kenneth Hogge), Perrin.

Mary Harris (Mrs. Todd Field), Gloucester. Has four sons and is a housewife and mother. She has led a normal and happy life.

Shirley Harris (Mrs. Robert Hudgins), Tidemill. Has two children. She worked as secretary at Achilles for three years and at Naval Weapons Station from 1951-61.

Alice Hogge (Mrs. Edward Horsley), Perrin. She has two sons and is a full-time housewife.

Barbara Hogge (Mrs. Lorion Lewis, Jr.) Has two sons; is receptionist for York River Yacht Club and has worked as secretary.

Dorothy Hogge (Mrs. Irvin Rowe), Gloucester Point. Has three children.

Frances Hogge (Mrs. J. C. Tsiviglow), Tabb.

Joyce Hogge (Mrs. Paul Tysinger), 360 Hopemont Circle, Hampton; R.N. at Kecoughtan VA Hospital.

Judy Hogge (Mrs. M. D. Freeder), Squire Canyon Road, San Luis Obispo, Calif.

Beulah Jordan (Mrs. William Sayler), Franklin Avenue,

Petersburg.

Alice Virginia Smith (Mrs. Lewis Rhodes), Gloucester. Has one son and works as an accountant at Bell Motors, Inc.

Edla Marie West, 22 Camelot Ct., Newport News. Works as accountant at Fort Eustis. Attended College of Hampton Roads. Has traveled from Canada to Miami, Fla.

MEMORIES: Fine teachers, the activities during the senior year and the trip, the ball games.

Class of 1949

Chairman: Mabel Hogge Saulman

Mrs. Estelle Nuttall Landreth, Registered nurse, trained at Riverside Hospital. She is now working in operating room at Cedars of Lebanon Hospital, Hollywood, Calif.

Mrs. Betty Hicks Christler, has AB degree. Taught school. Is now minister's wife and has five children.

Mrs. Christella Robbins Arehart, is an assistant technician at Dow Chemical Company. She has two children.

Mrs. Reathia Belvin Williams, works at Naval Weapons Station in Yorktown and lives at Gloucester Point.

Mrs. Mabel Hogge Saulman, worked as supervisor and personnel manager at Woolworth's. Has three children.

Priscilla Bunting is single and working as secretary at the County-City Supply, Hayes.

Chester Brown is single. Pastor of the Hampton Baptist Church, Hampton.

Margaret Currier

Roy Davis is married and lives in Poquoson.

Sylvia Deal Battisto has two children, a boy and girl, and works at the Bi-Lo.

Marian Harvey (Larrimer, Jr.) Proctor has one child.

Betty Morris is married and lives in Hampton.

Ann Sparrow is married and living in Florida.

Delores West is married.

Alice Rowe is married and lives in Washington, D. C.

Lounette Jenkins is married and living in New Jersey.

Lem Proctor is married and has one child.

Myrtle Lewis is married.

MEMORIES: Fond memories of Mrs. Nettie Rowe who gave all students a basic foundation for further education, how interested the teachers were in us as individuals and all the good friends and how we worked together as a group.

Class of 1950

Chairman: Connie Smith Bell

Alfred Belvin has two sons. Served two years in the Marine Corps.

Joyce Ambrose (Mrs. Milton Hogge, Jr.) has two children and is part owner of A n' J Beauty Salon.

Virginia Lee Green (Mrs. Elwood Harrison), Williamsburg. Is employed at Camp Peary; married in 1964.

Leon Clay, married and has three children; lives in Rockville, Md. He is teacher and assistant principal. BS and MS degrees.

Ernest Dunnigan, married, has two sons; active in cub scouting and a deacon of Providence Baptist Church.

Irene Hall (Mrs. Roy Greene), has one daughter.

Betty Frances Hall (Mrs. James Smith), has four children. **Norman Jenkins** lives in Petersburg where he teaches school. Recently married.

Nancy Hogge (Mrs. Charles Forrest), has one daughter; lives at Gloucester Point.

Barbara Jenkins (Mrs. William Clements), has two children and lived in Oklahoma two years.

Grayson Jordan is married and has three daughters. He is employed as a home builder.

Billy Jordan is married and owns a construction business. **Gordon Riley** is married.

DeLois Jenkins (Mrs. Ani Bal Adan), Atlanta, Ga. Has two children; married to a doctor and is a registered nurse.

Agnes Lewis (Mrs. James Williams), has one daughter and is a registered nurse.

Bernard Swindeck is married, has one son, and is employed by the state.

Nathan Tillage is married, and has two children; is employed by Colonial Williamsburg.

Jeanette Robins is married and lives in Mathews.

Mary Seawell (Mrs. William S. Thomas), Hayes. Has one son, active in woman's club and is bookkeeper for her husband's business.

Robert Tillage is married and has one son. He served in the army; had two years in college, and is employed by Hornsby Oil Co. as a sales representative and manager



1937 COMMERCIAL CLASS



Mrs. James Rowe

Graduate of AHS, Class of '21. Now teaches English at Gloucester High.



Mrs. M. T. Harris

Retired as librarian at GHS in 1962, but still serving as substitute teacher. Has life membership in the PTA and past GEA president.



Mrs. I. M. Anderton

Taught in Gloucester schools 54 years. Was honored on 50th anniversary of teaching by establishment of Etta Anderton Scholarship Fund in 1954. Retired in 1958 and died February 6, 1966.



CLASS OF 1951

for Gloucester area.

Hilda Thomas is single and employed by the Newport News Shipyard.

Constance Smith (Mrs. James Bell), Gloucester Point. Has three children; attended junior college, active in cub scouting and girl scouting.

William West is married and has three children. Apprentice School graduate and employed by the Newport News Shipbuilding & Dry Dock Co.

Hayes Williams is married and has two children and is employed by a local refinery.

Adell West (Mrs. Evans Brown).

Edna West is married and lives in Richmond.

Fleta Woodson is Mrs. Scotty Hunley of Mathews.

Jeff Waring lives at Gloucester Court House.

MEMORIES: The close relationship of the class, the senior class play, and the athletic program.

Class of 1951

Chairman: Mrs. Helen Crosswell Smith

William Ray Borden, single. Employed as office manager of State Mutual Life Assurance Company of America and minister of music at Stockton Memorial Baptist Church, Richmond.

Helen Crosswell (Mrs. Herbert Smith). Two children, Karen and Becky. She is active in church work and part-time secretary for Carmine Builders, Inc.

Ira Nelson West, Jr., has two children. Served two years in army and is now employed as budget officer for the U. S. Government.

Nellie J. Carmine (Mrs. Roy Sharpe), has three children. Graduated from Riverside School of Nursing and is now employed at Eastern State Hospital.

Horace W. Carmine, has two sons, Randy and Billy. He is employed as electrical journeyman. Resides at Gloucester Point.

Joseph Edward Brown, has two children, Randy and Bonnie. He is employed at Fort Eustis and resides at Toano.

Carolyn Crewe (Mrs. James Ashe), has three children. Received business diploma from Averett College. She is now music director at Bethany Baptist Church, Callao.

Allen Norman Davenport, Jr., has four children and is employed at the Newport News Shipyard.

T. Fay Edwards (Mrs. Eugene Mull), has one son, Wayne. She works at the Newport News Shipyard.

Marion Isaac Davis, single. He lives at Glass.

P. Kay Edwards (Mrs. Leonard Day Riley), RN, from Mary Immaculate. Head nurse on surgical floor at Mary Immaculate Hospital now and active in church work.

Elva Lorraine Hall (Mrs. Malkemus), has two sons and lives in Poughkeepsie, N. Y.

Charles Edgar Hogge, single. He is employed as office clerk in the Newport News Shipyard. He is Training Union director at Union Baptist Church.

Lois C. Hall (Mrs. Orville Forrest), has two children and is RN from Mary Immaculate.

Winfred L. Hogge, has four sons, Michael, Damon, Douglas and Neil. Works as carpenter and is part owner of contracting business.

Susie A. Hall (Mrs. Lonnie R. Jennings), has three children. She is a RN from Riverside and lives in Newport News.

Winfred Morris Hudgins, has four children, Michael, Mary, Dana and David. He is employed by the State Department and is president of the Tidewater Shrine Club.

Mary W. Jordan (Mrs. Arocha), she resides in Hialeah, Fla.

George D. Belvin, married; owns the Tidemill Restaurant; resides at Hayes.

Richard G. Poland, has two children, Timmy and Sheila. He is co-owner of J. B. Poland & Sons Grocery Store. He resides at Gloucester Point.

Mary Louise Robbins (Mrs. Carroll Siceloff), has two children. She is RN from Mary Immaculate and lives in Raleigh, N. C.

Ernest L. Jenkins, has six children and is employed at the Newport News Shipyard.

Betty King (Mrs. James Earl Coates), has one child and lives at Severn.

Leonard D. Riley (married Kay Edwards), served two years in Army and graduated from NNS Apprentice School. Employed now as supervisor of Shipyard. Active in the church working with youth.

Alice Rowe (Mrs. Harwood Robins), has two girls, one boy. She has RN degree from Mary Immaculate and is now doing private duty nursing.

Joseph W. Rowe, has four children, Debbie, Joseph, Jr., David and Pauline. He is employed at the Newport News Shipyard and in spare time likes to fish and hunt.

Fanny Seawell (Mrs. Merton West), has one son, Danny. She has worked at Naval Weapons Station for 12 years as clerk-typist.

John Bozarth West, Jr., married and has one son, Richard. He is owner and operator of a barber shop in Yorktown.

Mary A. Williams (Mrs. Kurt Spear), has one son, Richard. Attended Radford and William and Mary and is now

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employed as chemist at Newport News Shipyard.
Bobby Ellis West, single. Employed in Civil Service and working in real estate.
Frances Marie Heywood (Mrs. Charles Worley), has three girls, one boy and lives at Tidemill.
Deceased: Gerald H. Dunnigan.
MEMORIES: Mrs. I. M. Anderton was class sponsor for all four years of high school and helped make possible in so many ways the class of 1951's graduation. Senior trip to Washington, D. C., senior play, and participating in sports.

Class of 1952

Chairman: Patsy Morales

Gloria Anderton (Mrs. Gordon Wallace), Elizabeth City, N. C.; has two children; attended Longwood College and worked as secretary at Eastern State Hospital and the Tidewater Telephone Company.
Joyce Ann Belvin (Mrs. Hayes Williams), Gloucester Point. Has two children; attended Hampton Roads Business College.
William Bunting
Ann Burruss (Mrs. Dion S. Whitaker), El Paso, Texas. Has two children.
Garland Clay, Gloucester Point; married and has three children.
Marcella Coates
Patricia Conner (Mrs. Reinaldo Morales), Gloucester Point. Has two children; attended Chowan College, Hampton Roads Business College; worked as secretary for

Colonial Williamsburg and now with Virginia Institute of Marine Science.
Marlene Woodall (Mrs. Donald Jenkins).
Peggy Gaddy (Mrs. Dennis Bowers), Lynchburg. Has three children.
Shirley Haywood (Mrs. Warren Barker), Virginia Beach. Is a housewife; has a daughter and a son.
Alice Marie Hogge (Mrs. Douglas Hoadley), Buckroe Beach. Has three children.
Barbara Hogge (Mrs. James Earl Bradley), Williamsburg. Has one child. Attended Averett College.
Lorrimer Hogge, Newport News. Married and has one child; works in Newport News Shipyard.
Dorothy Green
Margaret Jenkins
Stanley Jenkins, married Nannie Mae Belvin. Has two children and resides at Hayes. Attended apprentice school, Newport News Shipbuilding & Dry Dock Company.
Mae Lewis (Mrs. Floyd White), Wicomico. Has seven children.
Jimmie Quillian, married and has two children; lives at Gloucester.
Shirley Seawell (Mrs. B. Beckley Lewis), Gloucester Point. The American Registry of Radiologic Technologists, Riverside Hospital and Doctor's Clinic.
Jonnie Sparrow
William Speakman
Betty Stubblefield
Esther Mae Williams (Mrs. Bennie Belvin), Perrin. Has one child and drives the school bus.
MEMORIES: Sports, May Days and Mr. Postlethwait.

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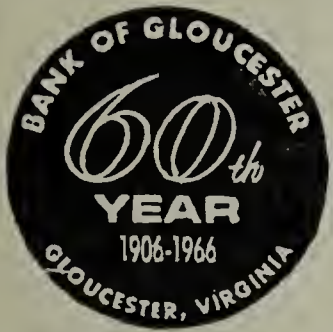
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